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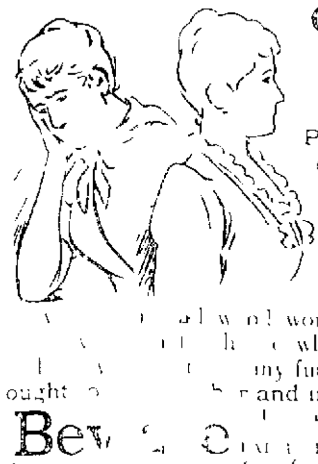

Oh! What a difference

in th[illegible] when a woman has cleaned house all day with Pearline instead of the old fash[illegible] way. It's so much easier. There isn't a thing anywhere about the house (that you'd [illegible]) but Pearline can save you time and work on it. Saves that wearing rubbing [illegible] work too. And what a difference [illegible] when the cleaning is done quickly [illegible] any fuming and fretting! You men ought [illegible] and insist on Pearline.

Beware [illegible]

A SAFE HOME INVESTMENT!

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[illegible] VALENTINE [illegible] Westbrook Trust Co
[illegible] WOODMAN [illegible] Westbrook Trust Co
[illegible] SCATES [illegible] Druggists Westbrook Me
[illegible] BROWN [illegible] Brown Machinists Westbrook, Me
[illegible] Silk Co Westbrook Me
[illegible] HUBBARD [illegible] Mass

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[FOR LATEST DESPATCHES SEE SECOND PAGE]

ABBOTT'S DEFALCATION.

Statement of Directors of Dover National Bank.

Total Amount of Shortage Stated as $97,595 50.

DOVER, N H, Jan 30 The directors of the Dover National Bank had a meeting this noon to receive the statement of the bank's condition from National Examiner Dorr. The report of Examiner Dorr was delayed and will not be made public. The directors however, voted to give a statement to the press, which is as follows

The report of Examiner Dorr as made to the directors, states the total amount of shortage of the Dover National Bank ascertained to date to be $97 595 50

These figures may be a little changed one way or the other when the full amount of unpaid drafts drawn by the National Bank of the Commonwealth is ascertained and the exact amount due to the Dover Five Cent Bank is determined. The directors did nothing beyond receive the statement of the examiner, and adjourned to meet again Friday. It is not known whether the bank will be allowed to resume business or will be wound up. The amount of Cashier Abbott's defalcation is bigger than was at first thought.

MASSACHUSETTS

Tax Collector Short in His Accounts

CONCORD Mass, Jan 30 Charles W Sanford tax collector of Concord for the past four years has left town and [illegible] He went to New York on a plea of business a week ago yesterday, and was heard from upon his arrival there. Since then however, no word was received from him until last night, when his wife received a letter saying he should not return

It is impossible to state the amount of Sanford's shortage as this year's tax books cannot be found, having been removed from their usual places of keeping. The town authorities say the shortage is not probably over $15,000 which is the amount of Sanford's bond [illegible] His bondsmen are [illegible] Bartlett, John M Keyes, Dr F W Emerson, B W Brown and Mrs Chase, [illegible] it is not likely that the town will suffer

Besides being tax collector Sanford was a constable, probation officer and auctioneer, and conducted a furniture business here. He was one of the most active business men of the town, was very popular and prominent in Concord society. He belonged to the Masons, Royal Arcanum and other organizations. It is said that the cause of Sanford's downfall was speculation in stocks. He has a wife and one child

Estimates of State Auditor

The State Auditor estimates that the direct tax of $1 500 000 will be necessary to carry on the government the coming year. In 1894 the amount was $2 000 000, in 1893 $2,500 000

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Attorney General Eastman Submits His Biennial Report

EXETER, N H, Jan 30 Attorney General Eastman, to-day, submitted his biennial report in the past two years. Three homicides demanded attention: the killing of Hiram Philbrick, at Somersworth, Augustus B Farmer at Bow and of Nettie B Douglass, at Henniker. These cases are reviewed as is the alleged assault with intent to kill Edward J Bonet, at Berlin by John W Carney, who was acquitted.

The report also discusses violations of the liquor law, oleomargarine law the receivership of the People's Fire Insurance Co, also the Pemigewasset Mutual Relief Association which he says should pay half the claims against it

The Attorney General recommends changes in the insurance laws and the appointment of a medical examiner in each county to act in cases of deaths by violence, accident, etc, as such action would save the expense of coroners

LEWIS MURDER TRIAL

Closing Argument for the Defense

PORTLAND, Jan 30 In the Lewis trial this morning Hon G M Seiders began the closing argument for the defense. He first reviewed the facts of the crime in detail. He showed that Graffam had had ample time to commit the murder. He argued that the 15 to 20 minutes during which Lewis was absent from Lowell's house was not time enough to commit the murder. He claimed that Coburn's body was moved into the stall after the murder and that Lewis was not strong enough to do this, but that Graffam was. He claimed that there was no ground for suspicion of Lewis's actions that night

He called attention to the fact that when Graffam was on the stand he never once looked at the jury. Graffam can not account for his time between 6 and 7 o'clock the night of the murder. Graffam made those tracks behind the barn, but why did he run? He says he made them in the morning but no one saw him make them

Lewis must have been a fool, continued Mr Seiders, to have made the statement that Graffam says he did. Graffam says he was at Coburn's the night of the murder. Mrs Kimball says he was not there. Which do you believe?

Mr Seiders stamped as a deliberate lie Graffam's statement that Lewis had confessed that he killed Coburn. Graffam saw that all the evidence pointed toward him and then he turned round and tried to foist the crime on Lewis. Graffam's uncle begged him to tell the truth knowing that Graffam had something on his mind

At one o'clock Mr Seiders had not finished his argument

PENSIONS GRANTED

Additional for Maine Residents

WASHINGTON, Jan 30 The following pensions have been granted to residents of Maine

Original—Wm A Snedeker, Bath; Daniel F Strout, Milbridge. Additional—Albert S Field, Bangor. Renewal—Stephen A Seavey, Saco. Increase—Charles H Merrill, Danforth. Original widows, supplementary—Ann G Blackinton, Rockland, New Hampshire. Additional—Jas Lynch, Suncook.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

House Committee Adopt Walker's Currency Amendment.

Silver Republicans Guarding Against Snap Judgment.

WASHINGTON Jan 30 Senator Cockrell, of Missouri chairman of the appropriations committee of the Senate, and a strong advocate of silver, said to day that it was simply a waste of breath to assert that a financial bill along the lines of the President's message could pass the Senate. Such a measure stood not a ghost of a show of passing. When told that the treasury gold reserve would soon be exhausted unless Congress or the executive authorized the sale of bonds to recoup it, Senator Cockrell said the gold reserve could not be exhausted too soon to suit him. He had no fear that our legal tender notes would not be re covered by our people. He expressed the opinion that the entire elimination of the gold reserve at the outset would not so much as create a ripple on our financial system

American Experienced Officers

Advices from Seoul just received by the Corean legation here show that officials of that country who have had experience in America have been chosen by the government to the highest places in authority under the great reforms which were inaugurated recently. The [illegible] that the Tonghaks have been almost suppressed and that the country is quiet everywhere

Spanish Senate Confirm the Modus Vivendi

Secretary Gresham this morning, received a cablegram from Minister Taylor at Madrid announcing that the Spanish Senate had approved the modus vivendi giving the United States the benefit of tariff on imports to Cuba and the other colonies [illegible] under the former reciprocity arrangement. Minister Taylor states that he does not state when the new arrangement will go into effect

The Silver Republicans

The silver Republicans in the Senate have made all their plans to prevent themselves from being the victims of what they call snap judgment. [illegible] that [illegible] from the Senate [illegible] owing to the attitude of the [illegible] there is an understanding that the effort is to be made to engraft on the appropriation bills some legislation looking to the [illegible] treasury. This will [illegible] bly be made [illegible]

The friends of silver however, have powerful ally in the person of Mr Cockrell chairman of the appropriations committee and he is expected to check any attempt to authorize an issue of bonds in this manner. The chairman may, however, be unvoted and, again the effort may not be made until the bill is under consideration in the Senate. For the purpose of watching things from now on the silver Republicans have arranged a plan whereby some one of their number will remain in the Senate chamber constantly while the Senate is in session as a lookout for any scheme that is inimical to silver

Any such attempt will be the signal for a struggle. Mr Teller spoke with the authority of the silver Republicans when he said to-day that they would go to the extent of defeating any appropriation bill that contained a provision authorizing an issue of any kind of bonds

Mr Walker's Amendment Adopted

The House Banking and Currency Committee to day adopted an amendment prepared by Mr Walker of Massachusetts, as a substitute for section 5 of the Springer bill which provides that all customs duties shall be paid in gold. Mr Walker argued that the effect of this section would be to send gold to a premium. His amendment which reads as follows, was adopted by a very considerable majority of the members present

Section 5 That from and after July 1 1895 ten per centum of the cash reserve required by law shall be kept in coin or coin certificates and not less than half of such coin or coin certificates shall be in gold or gold certificates, and that such cash reserves required by law shall be kept in coin or coin certificates in amounts increased by ten per centum of the whole cash reserve required to be kept by the law on and after the first day of each quarter of the calendar year, until the whole cash reserve shall be in coin or coin certificates and not less than one half of such cash reserve shall at all times be in gold coin or gold certificates

The committee then proceeded to consider the amendment offered by Mr Warner, of New York which provided that the Secretary of the Treasury shall apply any surplus in the treasury to the redemption of legal tender notes including treasury notes

BROOKLYN STRIKE

Generally Admitted to be Over

BROOKLYN, N Y, Jan 30 Every trolley line in the city was in operation this morning except one. That was the Third avenue line to Fort Hamilton. The strikers cut the wires of that line at Bay Ridge during the night, and cars could not be run till the linemen made repairs. Wires were cut in nine places in all last night, but were quickly repaired by the companies. It is generally admitted that the strike is over

New motormen and conductors have replaced the men who went out in a body on January 14. The linemen who went out on a sympathetic strike a week later have broken ranks on several lines, and those whose places had not been filled were taken back. The 5 000 men who went out in a body are still holding out. They were prepared for a long siege and say they have plenty of money coming in daily in contributions, aside from what they had laid away from their wages

One reason why the strikers hold together so well is that on one whole system, the Atlantic avenue. President Norton has positively refused to give work to any men who struck, and on the other lines other applicants are given the preference. The lines now have enough men to operate all the cars which are in a condition to run. About one third of the trolley cars of Brooklyn have broken windows, disabled motors, or are otherwise incapacitated by the scrimmages they have been through during the past fifteen days. The strikers are now directing all their attention to court proceedings

Whatever trouble the companies are given through attempts to compel operations by writs of mandamus or to obtain forfeiture of charters through applications to the Attorney General will have little bearing on the present strike. The strike leaders threaten boycott, mandamus and arrest for violation of the ten hour law, but the companies treat these things lightly and only dread the recurrence of acts of violence, lawlessness and rioting. The second brigade of nearly 4,000 men is still on the scene

The 600 special policemen are retained and quiet is restored. The cars ran until after midnight last night without serious attacks. The cars to-day were not stoned as they have been daily. Only one arrest for wire cutting was made last night against 16 the night before. The presidents fear that this fortunate condition of affairs will not continue after the troops disband.

FRANK L NOBLE

Well Known Horseman Passes Away

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 30. Frank L. Noble died here yesterday. He was formerly owner of the trotting stallion Alcryon and was the principal figure of the Beacon Park, Boston, turf scandal when he and his horse were ruled off the American turf for throwing the stallion race between Alcryon and Nelson.

FIGHT AMONG MINERS.

Fifteen Killed and Thirty-five Wounded.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 30. The trouble between employes of rival mines at Oaxaca developed into a general fight Monday. The police finally succeeded in restoring order, when it was found that 15 had been killed and 86 badly wounded.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Wife of a Japanese Minister Becomes a Catholic.

Prussian Diet Discuss the Agrarian Problem.

BERLIN Jan 30 Emperor William has conferred the collar of black eagle upon the Emperor of Japan and star of red eagle upon Viscount Aoki, the Japanese Minister to Germany

The Proposed Canada Copyright Act

LONDON Jan 30 Robert Barr writes to the Chronicle. The proposed Canadian copyright act is far more generous than the act which England accepted with Smith, a graduate of the United States. The very thing which objectors fear in Canada is done daily in Mudie's library in London. Why is that right here and wrong in Canada?

The Agrarian Crisis Discussed

BERLIN, Jan 30 In the lower house of the Prussian Diet yesterday the discussion on Agrarian estimates, Herr Von Hammerstein, Minister of Agriculture said that the question whether or not the state should undertake the purchase and sale of foreign cereals would be carefully considered by the council of state. The proposal, he added might be found to contain useful ideas. The Agrarian crisis he said was very bad but was not irremediable. Still art alone would be useless to meet the distress. The whole nation must help. The question of revising the treaties of commerce [illegible] to be considered but that was an extremely difficult problem

Delegation of Nobles Await on the Czar

ST PETERSBURG Jan 30 The delegation of nobles who waited upon the Czar yesterday to congratulate him upon his marriage, proceeded, after withdrawing from the presence of the Czar to the Kazan cathedral, where they participated in a mass of thanks giving that Nicholas II had declared his determination to uphold the autocracy of the Czar

Has Become a Catholic

VIENNA, Jan 20 The wife of the Japanese Minister has become a Catholic and will be baptized in the faith by Archbishop Agliardi the Papal Nuncio to the Austrian Court

The Chinese Peace Envoys

LONDON Jan 30 A despatch to the Chronicle says The Chinese Peace Envoys arrived at Kobe to day Wednesday and will proceed to Hiroshima in company with the American Commissioner Hon John W Foster

THE WHISKEY TRUST

Interview Regarding Application for Receivers

CHICAGO Jan 30 A morning paper has the following interview with Wm Burry of the firm of Jaunelis & Burry attorneys for the petitioners in the application for receivers for the whisky trust. Mr Burry says there was nothing unusual or secret about the appointment of the receivers. My clients he said have seen the affairs of the company go from bad to worse and they came to the conclusion that something must be done if they were to realize anything on their stock

Unless they did take action it seemed certain not only that the stockholders would receive nothing, but many claims against the Company would remain unsatisfied. The basis of the application was simply that the company has no funds, that a large amount of indebtedness must be met February 1st and that therefore it is practically insolvent

The application for a receiver he said was hastened by the near approach of February 1st when rebate certificates to a large amount fall due

Judge Grosscup was seen Monday, while he was busy with the Debs case. He agreed to hear the case immediately after adjournment but made a mistake and left the court room and therefore the application was made after office hours

'Do you expect an attempt will be made to remove the present receivers?'

'No. I think such action would be foolish. I do not see how anything could be gained by it.'

TENNESSEE ELECTION

Committee to Investigate Charges of Fraud to be Appointed.

NASHVILLE, Tenn Jan 30 The gubernatorial election contest bill was yesterday signed by the Speakers of the Senate and House and also by the Governor. The committee to investigate the charges of fraud at the election in November last, will be appointed Thursday and will immediately enter upon its duties. The committee will be composed of twelve members three Democrats and two Republicans from the Senate and four Democrats and three Republicans from the House. The committee will have forty days in which to report

MISUSING THE MAILS

Rev Frank L Chardon of Leroy Ill, Arrested

CHICAGO Jan 30 Postoffice Inspector Stuart yesterday arrested the Rev Frank L Chardon, of the Presbyterian church at Leroy Ill. Chardon procured annual round trip and single trip half rate passes from every possible railroad and then as L A Carpenter offered these passes for sale to ticket brokers. He used the U S mails to conduct his negotiations and thus came into the clutches of the government authorities. The evidence against him is overwhelming

WELL KNOWN FLAUTIST

Suicides by Shooting

CHICAGO, Jan 30 Vigo Andersen, the celebrated flautist and a member of Theodore Thomas orchestra gave a musicale last evening, at his residence on Elm street. Several selections had been given on various instruments by guests. When Andersen was requested to perform he gave a brilliant rendition of a selection from "El Crispinocla Cornare." When the applause had ceased refreshments were served. Andersen asked the guests to excuse him a moment and left the parlor

A moment later a pistol shot was heard and the guests rushing to the hall way, found the lifeless body of Andersen, the blood pouring from a hole in his temple and the revolver lying on the floor. His death was instantaneous. There is no known motive for the act, though it is said that recently he had a quarrel with his fiancee and was also troubled financially. He was well known over the world as one of the most accomplished and thoroughly trained flautists, and created a furore at the World's Fair by his performances

SENATORIAL CONTEST

Two Ballots with No Result in Washington

OLYMPIA, Wash, Jan 30 Two ballots for United States Senator yesterday were without result.

Salt rheum with its intense itching, dry, hot skin is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood 9

A KEY FOUND

My neighbor B, has found a key—a key to health it is, says he. If he is troubled with lassitude, constipation, billiousness, sick or nervous headache, cold feet, chilly sensations, fullness in the stomach, or any other of a long array of complaints, he takes Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are so small, so easy to take, so prompt and thorough in their operation, and cost so little that they are sure to grow in favor with all who use them. In glass vials, 25 cents. jan28 MTh&w

COMMON SENSE

Should be used in attempting to cure that very disagreeable disease, catarrh. As catarrh originates in impurities in the blood, local applications can do no permanent good. The common sense method of treatment is to purify the blood, and for this purpose there is no preparation superior to Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action to the alimentary canal.

MAINE MELANGE.

Wage Question Settled at Worombo Mill.

Increase of Financial Activity at Rumford Falls.

Androscoggin

A question of wages in the Worombo mill of Lisbon Falls has been settled. An arrangement was made Saturday between the company and the help that the amount of the second cut down should be restored March 1st. Notices were posted calling for a meeting of the mill operatives to discuss matters Saturday evening. Some of the help had not learned of the company's proposition and met on the street Saturday evening. Announcement was made of the advance in wages and the operatives took no action. The mill was running as usual Monday

Charles Lacombe the well known clothing man employed at the Burner Clothing House Lewiston met with a severe accident Sunday evening. While on his way home he slipped on the slippery and unkept sidewalk and fell, breaking his leg. The patient was attended by Dr J J Martel whose [illegible] assisted by Drs Dixon and Dumont.

Mr Charles Gay of Auburn who has recently returned from the South gives [illegible] his friends interesting accounts of the great frost in Florida which destroyed thousands of dollars worth of oranges and lemons. Mr Gay says that nearly all of the trees were destroyed as well as the fruit. The oranges were [illegible] and ready to pick and the cold wave swept the country so unexpectedly that but very little of the fruit could be saved. The only way to save it was by picking and housing. It was the coldest snap within the memory of the oldest inhabitant and Mr Gay says that the loss to the State is very severe. Every part of the State suffered. He and [illegible] formed in Mr Gay's fruit orchards near Tampa.

Cumberland

At the Portland Company the engines and boilers of the new Internation[al] line steamer are well under way. The engine for the new Harpswell steamer is built [illegible] the Bay State [illegible] the Wiscasset & Quebec [illegible]

The sixth anniversary of the marriage of Mr and Mrs Franklin Farrington of Portland took place Monday evening at the hall of the Portland Library Association of the [illegible] Both the husband and wife as well as nearly all those present were [illegible] conversing by the sign language. The pastor who performed the original ceremony six years [illegible] Rev Samuel Rowe, was present and performed the ceremony anew. All the questions and [illegible] the minister in the sign language [illegible] the spouses [illegible] nod of the head. When the minister wished to remind the bride of her pledge to be a true and loving wife he represents with his hands the process of sewing [illegible] which seems to mean that she must keep her husband neat and well mended

Franklin

A prize was offered [illegible] Franklin schools this winter and the winner was a girl who [illegible] for a large family was present every day and had the best opportunities for study of any scholar in [illegible] with the most to [illegible]

Kennebec

The annual meeting of the Maine Relief Corps Home Corporation adjourned from Jan 10 was held Tuesday at the State House at Augusta and the following officers were elected: President, George B Safford; Clerk, Ella Jordan Mason; Treasurer, Col H R Millett; Corporation Council, Col H H Burbank; Executive Board, Clara B Leavitt and C [illegible] Jones. Members of the corporation were before the State Committee on Finance and presented the matter of an appropriation for the home at Newport for war veterans [illegible] wives and mothers

A problem that is puzzling State Treasurer Bell is who sent him three $100 bills and one $50 bill a few days ago, following this remittance a day or two later with another package containing the same amount, and not [illegible] show from whom they came. Probably these are the same fellows who [illegible] the paper and signed [illegible] name—and then blew up the business manager because he didn't guess at them

The Maine branch of the American Federation of Labor elected officers at Augusta Tuesday as follows: President, J H Hatch, Portland; 1st Vice President, [illegible] Carey, Biddeford; 2d Vice President, C [illegible] Auburn; Secretary, W H [illegible] Portland; Treasurer, [illegible] Billard, Lewiston. Resolutions were adopted expressing sympathy with the Haverhill and Brooklyn strikers, endorsing the bill of Representative Dow[?] of Biddeford, extending the age limit of children employed in factories and mills to fourteen years. The next meeting will be held in Auburn next January

Knox

Rockland [illegible] In the face of the many reports that other physicians have been the first to use the new diphtheria remedy anti toxine in the State none of them seem to have preceded Dr J J Hitchcock, of this city, and Dr Weidman, of Rockport who recently used the remedy with so much success at Rockport

For the last few weeks the Rockland board of health has been corresponding with New York and Boston parties and with the State board in reference to anti toxine and has now decided to procure and keep a supply on hand for the use of the board and to furnish physicians in case diphtheria should break out in the city

County Attorney Kalloch of Knox county, recently received from the City Marshal of Springfield, Mass, a letter asking him to investigate concerning two gold watches supposed to have been stolen there sometime ago by George H Otis now in Knox county jail. The result of his inquiries was the finding of one of the watches upon the person of Lena Koch, who is in Auburn jail. The other watch Otis claimed he took from a Mrs Giles as security for money she owed him, and he disposed of it in Richmond Va

A telegram received Saturday from Somerville Mass, announcing the death of Captain Walter Thorndike, of Rockport, cast a gloom over the whole community. Although Captain Thorndike had been ill for several months, the news of his death came unexpectedly. The funeral took place from the residence of the father of the deceased, Captain Joseph N Thorndike, Camden street Tuesday afternoon

Lincoln

The traveling public will be pleased to learn that the Lake House, at East Jefferson, has been lately re-opened by Winthrop Weeks. Mr Weeks has spent many years on the road and knows how to cater to the public wants. If we can judge the future from the present the Lake House must become a popular summer resort

Oxford

The Rumford Falls Trust Company, which will do a general banking business, will open February first. It occupies well fitted and convenient banking rooms in the Shaw Block, under Hotel Rumford. The increasing financial activity at Rumford Falls, together with the prosperous territory surrounding, seem to assure to this institution a successful business from the start. Elisha Pratt, Esq., who has for the past few years been the successful principal of the Buckfield High School, is treasurer and will undoubtedly prove an efficient man in this place.

A report from what appears to be a reliable source says that Jack Swan, the missing Norway man, who disappeared in November, 1893, is alive. One of Norway's leading business men had a letter from his son last week in which he says that he was told in Boston of Swan's being alive and in Mexico. The son had learned the photo business of Swan and undoubtedly got his information from parties who had dealings with Swan since his disappearance, as it was stated as a positive fact that Swan was in existence

York

Mrs Mary Cerreau [illegible] lives on the New County road near Saco is in a critical condition from burns received while boiling pitch with which to make a salve. The pitch boiled over on her dress, caught fire and nearly all her clothing was burned. She extinguished the flames by rolling in the snow

Geo H McC[illegible] of Biddeford seems to have come [illegible] fatal family. His grandfather [illegible] wrecked and died from the hardships experienced. His father was a sea captain and [illegible] crew made [illegible] fell from the [illegible] now a [illegible] with a violent death

A Biddeford [illegible]

[illegible]

COLORADO BANKERS

Against Further Issue of Bonds by Government

DENVER Col [illegible]

[illegible]

URGENT REQUEST

Chicago Banker Want Bill [illegible] to Conform with President's Message

CHICAGO Jan 30 [illegible]

[illegible]

Stockton Springs

[illegible]

Condensed Despatches

Judge [illegible] Court [illegible]

Chas M Hughes [illegible] the First National Bank [illegible] was arrested Monday [illegible] misappropriating $10,000 of [illegible] the institution

Harry Sargent [illegible] Nashua N H [illegible] over to the Supreme Court [illegible] $200 for an aggravated assault [illegible]

George Garl[illegible] at Concord Mass [illegible] at his home at West Acton [illegible] attended his place of business [illegible] Monday [illegible] dealer [illegible] was very popular [illegible] this vicinity

The St [illegible] Council [illegible] day adopted a resolution which will be forwarded to the Maine delegation in Congress protesting against the Nicaragua Canal bill

IS SUICIDE A SIN?

Robert G Ingersoll Says it is Not

What the Genial Philosopher Really Means

Other Equally Eminent Men Differ From His Views

A Question Involved Each of Us Must Decide

A Letter of Powerful Interest to Our Readers

[illegible]

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for Infants and Children.

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Do You Know that [illegible] poison?

Do You Know [illegible] to sell narcotics [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible] your child [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible] States and of [illegible] the word Castoria [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible] is absolutely harmless?

Do You Know [illegible] 35 average [illegible] for 35 cents [illegible]

Do You Know [illegible] perfect preparation [illegible] children may [illegible]

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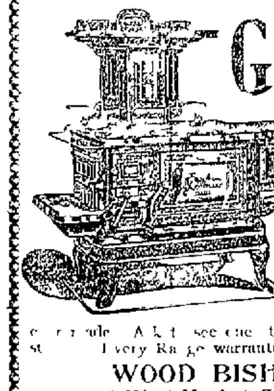

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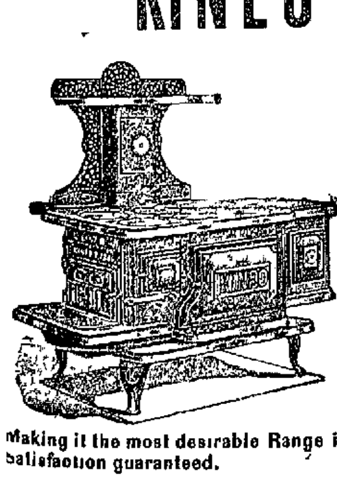

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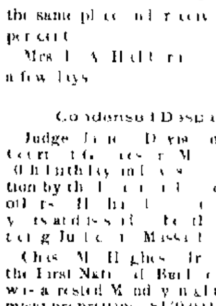

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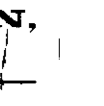

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 31 1895

Selfishness vs Argument

The joint special committee on the Eastern Maine Insane Hospital question has reached a vote although the ballot was an informal one. The committee stood eleven in favor of the resolve, seven opposed, two not voting. This action clearly settles one fact, namely that the resolve is to be bitterly contested and the advocates of the new hospital must govern themselves accordingly and at once thoroughly organize their forces.

Another fact settled by the vote of the committee is that the opposition cares nothing for argument, expert testimony, the comfort and proper care of the insane, or the wishes of the people. A public hearing was called for the express purpose of getting at the sentiment of the people and but one voice was heard in that meeting. That voice was unanimously in favor of the new institution. The opponents had the same opportunity to express their views but not a single representative appeared before the committee. The reason for this is evident. They knew that that the great preponderance of argument was against them, that it would be impossible for a man to face that gathering in opposition to this most worthy and necessary appropriation without exposing the narrow and selfish motives that govern the opponents of the new hospital. They were afraid to face the test and moreover evidently entertained the opinion that it was not necessary to subject themselves to this danger. Such a feeling seems to have been justified by the subsequent vote of the committee on a resolve against which as a committee the members were unaware of the slightest opposition.

The one thing that stands in the way of this appropriation is the attitude of the citizens of the city of Augusta. It is about time Augusta was taught that the State Government is not an institution maintained exclusively for the benefit of that city. There are a few people in the State who reside beyond the bounds of Augusta whose wishes are entitled to occasional recognition. With the State Capitol located there, the old Insane Hospital and the Legislature meeting there once in two years, to say nothing of the State paper with its very valuable printing franchise, the general impression is that Augusta ought to be at least moderately satisfied. This, however, is the basis of the opposition against which the advocates of the new hospital have to contend. There is absolutely no ground for opposition to-day except the disinclination of Augusta to see any important State institution erected outside the confines of that city.

It now remains to be seen whether a Legislature elected by all the people is to be governed by the selfish desires of the capital city to the exclusion of argument, the evidence of medical experts on the care of the insane and the wishes and convenience of a large section of the State, a section that is growing faster than all the rest put together.

Ignoring the Real Cause

[New York Post]

Having crippled American industries from the Atlantic to the Pacific, having reduced hundreds of thousands of American citizens from comfort to poverty, and having cut down the national revenues to a point where they fall a hundred millions below the national expenses, Mr Cleveland now takes it upon himself to deliver a solemn lecture to Congress based upon the assumption that the sole reason for the existing deficit is defective financial legislation. Every intelligent voter in the country knows that the direct source of the present deficiency in the Treasury and the direct cause of the addition of $100,000,000 to the national debt within a year is the absolute inadequacy of the Democratic tariff to furnish revenue for the necessities of the government.

Mr Cleveland not only ignores this fact. He invites the stern condemnation of honorable men by brazenly denying that it exists. Instead of frankly confessing that the present difficulties arise from lack of revenue and can be permanently remedied only by imposing just and protective duties on foreign products, the President insults the intelligence of American voters by the following preposterous assertion:

The apprehension now existing and constantly increasing as to our financial ability does not rest upon a calculation of our revenue. The time has passed when the eyes of investors abroad and our people at home were fixed upon the revenue of the government.

If Mr Cleveland had admitted that in inducing his party to overthrow protection he had committed a monumental blunder, if he had honestly acknowledged that the only way to repair this blunder and restore the treasury of the government was to re-establish protection, then his utterances might have commanded a degree of respect in Congress. But when this wrecker of the prosperity of American Industry and the happiness of American homes deliberately asserts that the tariff has had nothing to do in bringing about present conditions and prates of his concern for those of our people who seek employment as a means of livelihood, he arouses the renewed indignation of the country whose interests he assailed and crippled.

There should be no great difficulty in framing a conservative measure for the temporary relief of the Treasury. The Republican party is in no degree responsible for existing conditions, but it will do all in its power to remedy them. It has never been found wanting at the call of patriotism. It will not be found wanting now. Not the slightest reason exists for doubting the national credit. That credit must be and will be protected, and Republican legislators will do their full duty in maintaining the standard of the nation's currency and the integrity of all the obligations of the United States.

[Philadelphia Press]

President Cleveland in his message shuts his eyes to one cause. He limits his attention to the other. His message is lamentably lacking in glossing over the condition of the treasury. Yet this is the specific occasion of current distrust. Legal tenders, Treasury notes and silver certificates are all in fact, and in the end in law, under our gold parity legislation, promises to pay gold. Like all promises to pay, their credit and acceptance rests on the practical, visible solvency of the issuer. A Treasury deficit clouds their credit. No empty talk about "a comfortable surplus of more than $60,000,000" can change this.

If the Treasury, week by week, as it has now for nearly eighty weeks, pays out more than it receives, no one will have and no one can have confidence in its power to pay gold on its due bills until this condition is changed. The "comfortable surplus of more than $60,000,000" under the present drain in progress for eighteen months will last just about one year. Then it will be gone. But for $116,000,000 received from bonds it would be gone now. The credit of a Government is like the credit of a man. It rests on an income larger than expenditure. The lack of such an income is ultimate bankruptcy.

Since President Cleveland begins by abandoning the financial policy of his last annual message, he would have been wiser to confess that his revenue policy is wrong and ask for more income. Wrong in glossing the Treasury deficit and forced to reverse the Administration currency policy of six weeks ago, President Cleveland is right in the permanent remedy he proposes for the currency as a whole. Every greenback is a due bill. When a due bill is presented for payment and is paid it ought to be cancelled. Any other course sets it afloat again, to be again presented for payment. Since Treasury notes and silver certificates have to be kept equal in value to gold, they also have become gold due bills. When paid in gold they must be cancelled if we are ever to have a sound currency. This is sound Republican doctrine preached through all the greenback craze of twenty years ago and which would have become law but for the Democratic party and its long support of every financial heresy. As these due bills are in use as currency they cannot be retired on any large scale without contracting the currency. This ought to be avoided. It cannot be avoided if they are redeemed in gold. It can be avoided if they are redeemed in a bond which can be used as a basis for an expansion of national bank currency.

[New York Tribune]

Much that the President says in his message will meet with general approval. Parts are blindly partisan, notwithstanding his desire that others should rid themselves from partisan prejudice, but in the main its spirit and its reasoning can be commended. It is possible that if just such a message had been sent to Congress early in December instead of the State bank scheme it might have received more favor. But the President must have a truly miraculous faculty of recreating Democratic opinions and purposes if he can get even a large minority of his party to support such a measure as he now proposes.

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In Ellsworth, Jan 0, by Rev [illegible] Pember, Capt [illegible] Archibald, of Rockland, and Miss Hattie May Gr[illegible] of Dixmont.

DIED.

In this city, Jan 29, Alfred A., oldest son of Jeremiah F. and Isabella W. Witham, aged 23 years 1 month and 17 days.
Funeral Thursday at 1 P. M. at 111 Broadway.
In this city, Jan 30, at the residence of J. B. Robb..., son James A Peabody, of Boston, Mass, aged 5 years.
Funeral Friday at 2 P. M. Burial private.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

St. Andrew's Lodge.

There will be a Special Meeting of St Andrew's Lodge No. 83 F. and A. M. FRIDAY EVENING, Feb 1, at Masonic Hall at 7.30 o'clock. Brethren are requested to attend.
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LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Labor will give a public hearing at the Labor Commissioner's Room on WEDNESDAY, FEB 1, at 2 P.M. An Act to establish a State Board of Arbitration.
D. K. DEWITT, Secretary
jan 1

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, TUESDAY, Feb 12, at 2 P. M. on petitions asking that mills on Wilson Stream and its tributaries be prohibited from throwing saw dust and other refuse into said stream and its tributaries to the detriment of the fish therein.
By order of the Committee
CYRUS A. PACKARD, Secretary
jan 1

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Ways and Bridges will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, Feb 5, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. on petition of A. J. Tilley et als. for law regulating width of wheel tires on the county roads in town of Greenbush; also Feb 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. on petition for bridge across Penobscot river at Howland.
By order of Committee
ALBERT A. COTT, Secretary
jan 9

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House WEDNESDAY, Feb 13, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. on An act to legalize the consolidation of the York Mutual Aid Association, the Kennebec Mutual Life Ins. Co. and the Orient Mutual Life Ins. Co.
By order of Committee
W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary
jan 24 Th&Std

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House THURSDAY, Feb 14, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., on An act to enable the proprietors of the Bangor bridge to dispose of their bridge property.
By order of Committee
W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary
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LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, TUESDAY, Feb 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the Petition for repeal of the hawkers' and peddlers' law.
By order of Committee
W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary
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LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give public hearings at their room in the State House, as follows:
MONDAY, Feb 18, 1895, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., Petition of Arthur P. Hall and 153 others for the repeal of the existing laws relating to the manufacture and sale of Oleomargarine, and the enactment of other laws relating to the same.
WEDNESDAY, Feb 20, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., An act amendatory of Section 75 of Chap 27, of the R. S. as amended by Chap 140 of the Public Laws of 1887, relating to the sale of Liquors by State Agency.
WEDNESDAY, Feb 20, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., An act to provide pure unadulterated Liquors for lawful sale within this State, and to repeal Sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of Chap 27, R. S., relating to the State Agency for the sale of intoxicating Liquors.
THURSDAY, Feb 21, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M., Resolve for an amendment to the constitution abrogating amendment five relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating Liquors.
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S. D. BENSON, Treasurer
Bangor, January 23, 1895 td

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CONGRESSIONAL

Financial Discussion in the Senate Wednesday

The Japanese Treaty Ratified in Executive Session

Lively Times Over Pacific Railroad Cloture Rule in House

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30. [illegible]

House.

[illegible]

WEATHER

[illegible]

WASHINGTON, Jan 30. [illegible] For New England, [illegible] west winds.

Local Forecast.

Boston, Jan 30. For New England, Thursday fair, slightly colder, [illegible] winds.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations

[illegible]

STOCKS

[illegible]

BONDS

[illegible]
Central Pacific 1sts [illegible]
Den & Rio G 1sts 114[illegible]

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 30. FLOUR—[illegible] winter wheat low grades [illegible] patents [illegible]
SOUTHERN FLOUR—quiet, weak.
RYE FLOUR—quiet, easy.
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—1 65@1 [illegible]
BUCKWHEAT—55@60
CORN MEAL—steady, quiet.
RYE—nominal.
BARLEY—quiet, firm.
WHEAT—Receipts 8,450 [illegible] dull, higher, firm [illegible] and elevator, 57a60 [illegible] No. 1 northern 67@60.
CORN—Receipts 28,200, exports 27,118, sales 25,000, quiet, dull, firm. No. 2 [illegible] afloat, 49@60.
OATS—Receipts 25,200, exports 120, sales 15,000, dull, firm [illegible] 34@34[illegible] white [illegible] No. 3, 33[illegible]@00 [illegible] western, 34[illegible]@38, white do, 37a40[illegible], white State, 37a40[illegible], No. 2 Chicago, 34[illegible]

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Jan 30. FLOUR—easy, prices without essential change.
WHEAT—steady. No. 2 Spring, 52[illegible]@53; No. 2 Red, 50[illegible]@51.
CORN—good demand. No. 2, 41@0[illegible]
OATS—firmer. No. 2, 28[illegible]@0.
No. 2 Rye—50@00.
No. 2 Barley—53.

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AWFUL DISASTER.

North German Lloyd Steamer Elbe Sunk.

Over Three Hundred and Fifty Souls Believed to be Lost.

Only Twenty-one People So Far Known to be Saved.

Run Down by Another and Smaller Steamer

And Sank Within Twenty Minutes of the Collision

LONDON, Jan 30 The North German Lloyd steamship Elbe, Bremen for New York, was sunk in collision with a small steamer off Lowestoft early this morning.

The Elbe carried 380 souls and but 21 have been landed. A few [illegible] still afloat in one of the [illegible] At 10 o'clock the [illegible] the number of lives lost was [illegible]

The survivors of the wreck were [illegible] by the fishing smack Wild Flower at 10 o'clock this evening [illegible] Stollberg, third officer, Nautical [illegible] Weser, paymaster [illegible] Schlinker, [illegible] Sitting, assistant paymaster; [illegible] first chief stoker [illegible] Weaning, Singer and [illegible] sailors Dresen and Becko, or [illegible] Dehardt German pilot [illegible] English pilot Hoffman [illegible] Schlegel and Veyera of Cleve [illegible] passengers Bothen [illegible] passenger [illegible] Miss Anna [illegible] Hoffman home is in Nebraska [illegible] wife and boy went down with [illegible]

[illegible] the survivors were [illegible] the passengers were but half [illegible] Their few garments were frozen [illegible] and their [illegible] had exhausted them [illegible]

Had to be Helped Ashore

[illegible] and sailors were fully [illegible] but [illegible] had been [illegible] with cold and fatigue [illegible] the [illegible] wreck

[illegible] the following [illegible] Bremen [illegible] hours of [illegible] the disaster [illegible] the morning [illegible] the morning [illegible] steamer [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] the collision [illegible] the Elbe was [illegible] when the [illegible] Elbe's side [illegible] the [illegible] down [illegible]

[illegible] the passengers [illegible] rough [illegible] on duty [illegible] struck

Shock and Crash

[illegible] steerage was [illegible] men, women [illegible] dressed [illegible] in their [illegible] crowding up the [illegible] They clung together [illegible] the cold and storm and [illegible] the help or prayed on their [illegible] others and [illegible] for a few moments [illegible] among the terror stricken [illegible] to quiet them and encourage [illegible] hope that the vessel might [illegible]

[illegible] apparent that the Elbe [illegible] The officers were [illegible] that she was about to founder [illegible] lower the boats In [illegible] three boats were got along [illegible] the seas were breaking over the [illegible] with great force and the first was swamped before anybody could [illegible] The other two boats low [illegible] at the same time were filled [illegible] members of the crew and [illegible] but the number was small, [illegible] only twenty persons

[illegible] carrying 21 persons landed [illegible] put off in such haste from [illegible] steamer that nobody in it [illegible] what became of the other boat [illegible] believe that she got away [illegible] They say that they [illegible] about [illegible] several hours before [illegible] the Wild Flower The [illegible] boat [illegible] them at once [illegible] them aboard They were ex[illegible] from exertion and exposure [illegible] were in a state of collapse and [illegible] dragged [illegible]

From Boat to the Other

Miss Anna Buecker the only woman [illegible] was [illegible] as [illegible] of the Elbe [illegible] in [illegible] of the boat for five hours [illegible] breaking over her and the [illegible] had been [illegible] half covering her body Although her physical [illegible] was gone she showed true pluck [illegible] not utter a word of complaint [illegible] urged her companions not to mind her but look after themselves

[illegible] was hurt severely while [illegible] the Wild Flower [illegible] gave the survivors every possible attention Upon landing the survivors were taken in charge by R S Bradford, German consul at Lowestoft, who [illegible] of the sailors home and others [illegible] Suffolk Hotel Miss Buecker who [illegible] only to Southampton, will [illegible] be able to go to London in a day [illegible]

[illegible] who came ashore in the Wild Flower said in an interview "My home is in Grant Island, Nebraska, I [illegible] my wife and boy of seven with me [illegible] Elbe I am utterly wretched I [illegible] separated from them and hardly [illegible] hope they are saved I am abroad [illegible] relatives in Germany and during the first four months was accompanied by my wife and boy

We left Bremen for home on Tuesday I was asleep in the stateroom when a noise like a gunshot woke me I [illegible] out of bed and spoke to my wife, who had been aroused as suddenly. I asked her what she thought the trouble was but she seemed to pay little attention to it

I Was Not Greatly Alarmed

although I heard scuffling feet and hoarse shouts on deck. I hurried into a few clothes, and went to the upper deck I saw only too clearly what had happened I rushed below and helped my wife and boy throw on a few clothes we went on deck together

"The excitement and confusion cannot be described I never saw anything like it Everybody seemed to have lost his head The scene was distressing beyond anything I ever saw Men, women and children were running madly about, the women screaming with terror and every man getting in the other's way. The darkness increased the confusion and fright

"Suddenly I heard shrill, despairing cries from the women, 'there are no more boats.' I then saw men at the davits I noticed that the ropes were frozen so hard or so tangled or something of the sort, that the sailors had to chop from them frantically to get the boats clear. The sailors were doing their best and worked with might and main. They finally got out the aft quarter boat on the port side. I could see it was full of people, but the sailors could not lower it.

"Meanwhile the steamer was settling perceptibly. I took my boy in my arms and got into the second boat. My wife was close behind when somebody shouted, 'all women and children go on the other side of the ship.' I believe the captain gave the order. My wife started to run across the deck, and that was the last I saw of her I clung to my boy, but some men seized us and dragged us out of the boat and my place was taken by one of the crew

This Boat Got Clear

of the steamer. Before the men at the oars could get full command of her a big wave almost dashed her against the steamer's foremast, which had gone by the board at the time of the collision. It was almost miraculous that the boat was not swamped Another boat was got out I took my boy into it and supposed he remained by my side, but just as the boat was lowered, I found that he had disappeared He had been torn away in the rush and scramble for places. I tried to get back, but the boat went down with a jump and the moment we reached the water the sailors pushed off"

Miss Buecker said in an interview "I was in bed when the steamers struck I was aroused by a great crash, followed by shouts and trampling of feet on the deck. It was dark when I reached the top of the stairs leading to the deck I found two life boats being lowered, and ran to one The steamer was sinking gradually One side was already low in the water Some men shoved me into the boat, which was lowered. We had hardly reached the water before the boat upset and all thrown out Most of the others managed to get back on the steamer

"I went under and when I came up I clutched the bow of the capsized life boat I clung to it until another life boat picked me up We suffered terribly until the Wild Flower rescued us. I lost all my clothes, but saved my money and watch, which were in a belt around my waist"

Steerage passenger Bothen said "At the moment of the collision I was in the forecastle When the steamers came together the noise was deafening like the crashing of icebergs Then came a series of

Tearing and Grinding Sounds

I hurried back and found the officers and crew at quarters Two boats were being lowered, but I saw no others The ropes were somewhat stiff The Elbe went down about 20 minutes after the collision

Jan Vevera was a cabin passenger, returning with his niece to America. His niece was lost He said "I fell asleep in the coffee room and a terrific crash woke me up with a jump I ran out and saw everything upside down People were rushing around below in frenzy some half naked, and all partially dressed

"I made my way up on deck and asked the mail man what was the matter. He was calm and replied carelessly "O, nothing is the matter

I could see that something terrible had happened I ran below to get my niece from the cabin but was not able to go far as the woodwork had been shattered and broken and timbers and boards were wedged across the corridor.

I then went to my own cabin, got a [illegible] of coal put on two life preservers and ran back to the upper deck where it was evident that the ship had a heavy list and was sinking fast I was told to keep out of the boats as the women and children must go first

"The struggle for the life boats was too desperate to leave a man much chance so I waited The men around me had grown frantic. They tried to tear off my life preservers but I shouldered them off

In the meantime other men began to climb into the boats so I jumped on the rail as a boat steered off, and when the boat rose on the wave I jumped in One of the occupants tried to shove me out, but I hung to him like death, and he let me stay We saw the Elbe sink and cruised about half full of salt water until

"The Wild Flower Rescued Us"

Fuerst a stoker said "I was in the boiler room The water rushed in immediately through a big gap in the side. It poured in a tremendous rate and soon extinguished the fires When I reached the deck I saw the captain on the bridge but could not see the pilots" Seaman Singer says the Elbe was struck just at the engine room, and the stem of the other steamer crushed into the second cabin

Latest Figures

LONDON Jan 30 The Elbe's passengers numbered 240 and her crew 160 Capt Von Goessel went down with the ship

Probably Collided With the Elbe

ROTTERDAM, Jan 30 The steamer Crathie had her stem stove by collision with an unknown vessel at 5 o'clock this morning 30 miles from the Hook, Holland It is supposed that it was the Elbe with which the Crathie was in collision.

Mail Clerks on the Elbe.

NEW YORK, Jan 30. Among the passengers on the ill-fated steamship were two United States mail messengers in charge of the mail coming to America. They were H H Hall, of Lynn, Mass, and P J Holtzman, of this city

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BOARD OF TRADE

Meeting of Representatives of New England Cities

BOSTON, Jan 30 A convention was held at the Vendome to-day at which gathered the members of the boards of trade from all the New England States, under the auspices of the Massachusetts State board of trade The main subject was "Associations of business men, and the best methods by which they can promote the welfare of New England"

Charles E Adams, of Lowell, President of the Massachusetts State board of trade, presided and Hon Henry Lord, President of the Maine State board of trade, introduced C S Pearl, Esq, of Bangor, who made a brief address, being followed by Col Bangs, of Augusta, and others

The convention concluded with a reception and banquet at hotel Vendome, attended by about 250 representative business men of New England The banquet was complimentary to the guests from out of the State, and in particular to the six governors of New England States, all of whom were expected to speak Only two governors were present, Gov. O Russell town of Rhode Island, and Gov Henry B Cleaves, of Maine

President Adams made a brief address and was followed by Gov Brown and Gov Cleaves The latter referred to the loyalty of Massachusetts and Maine and spoke in the main of the desirability of keeping at home the money sent out of New England for investment and the development of New England resources. Speeches were made by Hon John L Spring, of New Hampshire, Hon. Henry Lord, of Maine, and others

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SUFFERING FROM HUNGER

Carmel Man Found Unconscious in Watertown.

WATERTOWN, Mass, Jan 30 Amos Harvey, of Carmel Me, aged over 75 years, was found unconscious from the effects of paralysis and hunger on Galen street this afternoon

He was revived and it was found that he was on his way to Rochester, N Y, where he has relatives He said he had lost all his property and was in a destitute condition

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COBURN MURDER TRIAL.

Argument of the Attorney General.

PORTLAND Jan. 30 In the Lewis murder case this afternoon Mr Seiders completed his argument soon after three o'clock and Attorney General Powers began the final plea. He made a strong argument which occupied the remainder of the afternoon He dwelt most upon Lewis actions after the murder, charging that no innocent man would have acted as Lewis did. No one would have gone out for fun to look for a man in the barn without calling out to him.

He explained the discrepancy in Graffam's testimony and that of Mrs. Kimball by saying that Mrs. Kimball was probably confused. It is probable that Graffam really did go to the house for it is the last place he would account for himself if he was guilty of murder. If Graffam had got his money from Coburn he would not have been fool enough to keep it on his person. As to Graffam's tracks behind the barn, Graffam admitted at once that they were his tracks. If he had made them at the time of the murder, he would hardly have done this.

He contended that Lewis had ample time to do the deed. Everybody who has been at the scene of the murder thinks Lewis guilty. He did not claim that Graffam is a man of spotless character and it was not unlikely that Lewis would tell one of his boon companions of his crime. He argued that Lewis' motive might not have been to get money from Coburn, but to get possession of the farm.

To-morrow morning Judge Bonney will charge the jury.

MAINE LEGISLATURE.

Opponents of Eastern Insane Hospital Showing Their Hand.

Large Amount of New Business Introduced Wednesday.

Act Adding to Penalties for Violating Game Laws.

[Special to Whig and Courier.]

AUGUSTA, Jan. 30. When the speaker called for bills, acts and resolves in the regular order of business to-day in the House it looked as though every Representative was on his feet waving a paper above his head. Mr. Noble, of Lewiston, took the chair. Business was presented as follows

An act to authorize the building of a weir at Harbor Island, in Hancock county.

An act relating to the probate of foreign wills, making the time of publication before the hearing three weeks instead of thirty days.

The act to unite Portland and Deering.

A petition asking for a law compelling engineers and firemen of all stationary engines to have licenses.

A petition from the town of Ashland for aid in building a school house.

An act to incorporate the Newport Electric Light and Power Co

Petition and bill to empower the town of Caribou to purchase a lot of land in said town for the purpose of a Court House and to convey the same to the county of Aroostook.

Petitions in favor of Oldtown City Hospital

Petitions for and remonstrances against legislation enabling the city of Ellsworth to change to a town government

An act to amend the law relating to the production of books and papers in actions at law, allowing the judge, in cases of reasonable delay in producing same, to order non suit or default.

An act to incorporate John F. Sprague, Amasa S. Garland, Henry Hudson, George A. Matthews and Omar Clark as the Long Pond Dam Company, with power to construct a dam and sluices on Long Pond in the town of Elliottsville.

An act to amend the law taxing collateral inheritances, so that it shall not apply to money coming to any educational, charitable or benevolent institution in this State. Presented by Mr Larrabee, of Portland.

A resolve in favor of the town of Milo for an appropriation of $225, its share of the school fund for 1893.

An act additional to chapter 48, R S, relating to organization of corporations under the general laws.

A petition for an act to establish a police commission in the city of Lewiston, to consist of three members, appointed by the Governor and Council and the Mayor

Of Said City.

An act to raise the jurisdiction of the Rockland municipal court to $100 and increase the salary of the judge.

An act to allow towns to pass by laws to regulate the going at large of dogs therein

An act to abolish disused cemeteries in villages Presented by Mr. Wheelden, of Portland.

Petition of Fred C Barker and others, of Rangeley, for exclusive right to navigate the Mooselookmeguntic lake.

An act by Mr. Patten, of Bath, making the election of city marshal come in March, and striking out the words, "as soon thereafter as conveniently may be"

A resolve for a memorial commemorating the patriotism of John Baker, and an appropriation for the purpose of removing the body from British soil to the town of Fort Fairfield and erecting a suitable monument.

Petitition of Samuel C Allen, of Centreville, "to be set-off from said town and annexed to the town of Columbia Falls."

An act to authorize the appointment of "Special Insurance Brokers" Presented by Mr. Hooper, of Castine.

A petition from Washington county asking for additional fees for sheriffs for travel and service of processes.

An act, presented by Mr. Knowlton, of Portland, to compel husbands to support their wives, making the remedy by petition and complaint to the county.

An act to amend the charter of the city of Bath, presented by Mr. Patten, Bath

Petition of the Franklin Telephone and Telegraph Co for right to extend their line to New Portland and Madison.

An act to incorporate C. W. Coffin, A. W Benson, F. B. Draper, Charles Curtis, W H. Stacey and Geo A. Russell as the Pleasant River Dam Co, said corporation having purchased the franchise of the Katahdin Dam Co.

The following order was presented by Mr. Farrow, of Belmont, and tabled by Mr. Haines, of Waterville

That the Committee on Insane Hospital, together with the Committee on Finance, be a joint committee to ascertain the cost of erecting a new insane hospital at Bangor and the cost of maintaining and furnishing the same, also to ascertain the cost of providing accommodations for all the insane at the Augusta Insane Hospital, said committee to report as soon as practicable.

An order was presented by Mr Lane, of Augusta, and passed, as follows

Ordered, the Senate concurring, that the joint select committee on the Eastern Maine Insane Hospital be authorized and empowered to consider the resolve in favor of the Maine Insane Hospital.

This order was disposed of in the Senate in concurrence.

There were many petitions for local fishery laws, in regard to the lobster laws, asking regulation of freight rates, for sectarian amendments, woman suffrage and many others.

Petitions from the Bath Iron Works for a bill coming from the Legislature and relating to taxing of vessels on their net income

A bill to give the Mayor of Ellsworth veto powers.

Remonstances of Dexter citizens against a city charter.

The House passed an order that the Judiciary Committee inquire into the matter whether the European and North American Railway Company has complied with the conditions by which it secured State land.

In the Senate

to-day the following were presented

By Mr. Penney, of Piscataquis, an act additional to chapter 30 of the revised statutes relating to game. Referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. The act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Whoever shall, at any time, pursue, capture, kill or destroy any deer in the waters of any lake, pond, river or stream, or while said deer is crossing such waters by swimming or wading, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by fine of $40 and imprisonment for thirty days, for each and every deer so pursued, captured, killed or destroyed; and upon a second and every subsequent conviction, by such fine and imprisonment for ninety days.

Sec. 2. Whoever shall, at any time, hunt, take, kill or destroy any deer by means of any snare, or other device, or in any other way than by the ordinary mode of still hunting with firearms, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by fine of forty dollars, and imprisonment for thirty days, for each and every deer so hunted, taken, killed or destroyed.

The Committee on Towns reported a bill entitled "an act to set off a part of the city of Lewiston, and a part of the town of Greene, and annex the same to the town of Webster.

By Mr. Weeks, of Penobscot, an act relating to the First Universalist Church, of Oldtown. The act is as follows:

Sec. 1. A meeting of the religious corporation organized in A. D. 1843, under the name of the Universalist society of Oldtown, holden on the sixth day of December, 1894, is hereby made and declared to be a legal meeting of said corporation and all doings had and votes passed at said meeting shall have all such effect and validity as they would have if had and passed at a regular meeting, notwithstanding any error in the mode of calling or notifying said meeting, or the proceedings for organizing the same.

Sec 2 A deed from Adams H. Merrill to Otis O Johnson as trustee of the Universalist Society, as aforesaid, dated June 22, 1846, recorded in the registry of deeds for the county of Penobscot, in book 170, page 56, given for a consideration paid by said Johnson, in behalf of said society, is hereby declared to vest the title in fee of the real estate therein described And said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to sell or convey said real estate or any part therof.

Sec. 3. A deed from the said Universalist church of Oldtown, dated the 10th day of December, A. D, 1894, is hereby declared to be a valid instrument and the deed of the society, and to said deed shall be given all the force and effect intended by the parties hereto agreeable to the purport and provisions thereof.

By Mr. Maxwell, of Androscoggin, petition of G. W. Gowell and 13 others of Lisbon, asking that a law be enacted so that persons sending newspapers, magazines or periodicals after the paid up subscriptions therefor shall have expired, shall do so at their own risk. Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs

By Mr Walls, of Knox, petition of W. A. Henderson and 66 others for a law prohibiting the catching, selling or having in possession at any time or season, lobsters less than $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches in length. By Mr. Ames, of Washington, petition of John R McDonald and 13 others for the same. Referred to the Committee on Shore Fisheries

By Mr Savage, of Androscoggin, several petitions for such amendments to the Revised Statutes as will make it in harmony with the constitution, and promote the suppression of the liquor traffic. Referred to the Committee on Temperance

By Mr Higgins, of York, an act to amend section fifty four of chapter 80 of the revised statutes relating to constables Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Several remonstrances against any legislation granting any charter for a ferry across the Sullivan river Referred to the Judiciary Committee

By Mr Shaw, of Aroostook, an order that the Committee on Taxation inquire into the expediency of amending the statutes so as to exempt all agricultural societies, and the property held by them for the purpose of the organization from taxation

The Senate adjourned until to morrow morning at 10 o'clock

Notes

Representative Collin, of Bangor, received a code despatch to day from Gibralter, announcing the safe arrival of time of his wife and daughter who left New York ten days ago on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm for a trip abroad. On the same steamer were Mrs Isaiah Stetson and her two daughters, also of Bangor

Mrs Fairbanks, the wife of Representative Fairbanks, and daughter, are at the Augusta House.

The hearing on the re-submission of the prohibitory amendment is assigned for Feb 21.

SHIPPING COMMISSIONER

Appointed for Rockland.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30 Secretary Carlisle to-day appointed Wm M. Monroe, of Rockland Me, shipping commissioner at Rockland, Me.

MAINE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting at Augusta

AUGUSTA, Jan. 30. The annual meeting of the Maine Press Association opened here to-day with an attendance of thirty.

STATE OF SIEGE

Declared in Cartagena.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30. The Herald's special cable from Panama says: Cartagena has been declared in a state of siege and Governor Roman has been invested with the powers of a civil and military chief

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Municipal Court.

Alonzo Douty and George Mitchell, drunkenness, 30 days in jail each. Appealed

John Lynch and Thomas Ryan, drunkenness, 30 days in jail each, for being vagabonds, 60 days in jail each.

Neuman Drew, drunkenness, $3 and costs. Paid.

Thomas McNamara, drunkenness, $3 and costs. Paid

John Whalen, drunkenness, $3 and costs. Committed

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COMMON SENSE

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

To Protect the Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. Ass't Secretary Curtis, of the treasury department, left Washington this morning at 11 for New York. His visit at this time is for the purpose of conferring with Sub-Treasurer Jordan in regard to the gold exports and also to be on the ground to give advice as occasion may arise touching the financial situation. He will keep Secretary Carlisle advised as to the situation in New York.

Unless Congress takes prompt action the Secretary of the Treasury will feel it incumbent upon him to issue bonds to protect the gold reserve and Mr. Curtis while in New York will act as the direct representative of the Secretary in conferring with New York capitalists as to the placing of bonds when their issue is deemed essential to the protection of the credit of the government.

English Source of Supply for Hawaiian Market.

Consul General Mills at Honolulu, in a report to the State department, submits a statement showing the merchandise imported by the Vancouver, Canadian & Australian line for nine months which, he says will give some idea of how this line is encroaching on the business heretofore enjoyed by American steamers and is indicating the English source of supply for the Hawaiian market which has hitherto been exclusively American for the line of goods enumerated.

Mr Mills says it is noticeable that the amount of freight which the Canadian steamers bring is increasing. Much of it is brought on ships account and what those vessels may lose in the way of freight when the goods are sold is more than made up by the large subsidies which they receive from the British government

In the list of merchandise imported by Canadian steamers submitted are among others the following items Lime, 8,149 barrels, flour, 6,000 barrels, bran, 625 tons, rolled barley, 250 tons, whole barley, 60 tons, oats, 250 tons; wheat, 200 tons, posts, 2,700, shingles, 592 bundles, lumber, 4,771 pieces, rags, 351 bales; whiskey and beer, 300 cases, naval stores, 600 packages, 1,011 packages of machinery and merchandise

For Settlement of Labor Troubles.

A conference between the representatives of the labor organizations employed by common carriers and the House Labor Committee began this morning The settlement of difficulties between employes and employers was the subject under consideration, several bills having this end in view being before the committee

The labor representatives had reported a number of amendments to the bill The first proposed the exemption of seamen from the operations of the act Another holds the company owning the road responsible for the act and default on tracks. An amendment to section 2 allows the labor and corporation members of the arbitration board to select the third member of the board. If they fail to do this in 24 hours, the commissioner of labor and the chairman of the interstate commerce commission is to name the third member. Section 8 is amended to provided that when the road is in the hands of a receiver appointed by a federal court, no reduction in the wages of employes of the road shall be made unless under authority of the court

Section 10, which was particularly objectionable, was struck out entirely This section allowed the attorney-general, if satisfied that the difference or threatened disturbance could not be settled by arbitration, to request the appointment of a receiver for the property threatened or involved Both sides accepted the bill as amended and it will be reported to the House as a substitute

Russell's Amendment Adopted

After a session of nearly four hours the House Committee on Banking and Currency took a recess. The major part of the session was devoted to the consideration of an amendment offered by Mr Russell (Rep, Conn) to be added to section 2 of the bill, as follows "Provided the amount of such United States notes and treasury notes which may be cancelled and retired does not exceed in the aggregate the amount of equal additional circulation taken out by national banks after the passage of this act" The amendment was adopted, 9 to 4. Those voting in the negative were Messrs Warner, of New York, Walker, of Massachusetts, Sperry, of Connecticut, and Cobb, of Missouri.

In the afternoon the fourth section of the bill was stricken out and with some other amendments it was voted 10 to 3, to report the bill for consideration without recommendation

Thirty Year Bonds Probable if Any

The treasury gold reserve was reduced to-day by withdrawals at several subtreasuries, to $14,551,322. No preparations have been made for a bond issue and none will be made until the President is convinced that Congress will not respond to his appeal for financial aid Unless Congress responds promptly to the President's suggestion, he will in the exercise of his discretion, under the resumption act, direct the issue of $100,000,000 of bonds.

Under this act there are three kinds of bonds he may issue, viz.—5 per cent bonds which will run ten years, four and a half per cent bonds which run 15 years, 4 per cent bonds which run 30 years. As the President in a recent message favored fifty year bonds, the general belief in official circles is that if bonds are issued under the resumption act, they will be 4 per cent. bonds, to run thirty years.

Archibald-Garland.

Capt I E. Archibald, of Rockland, and Mrs Hattie May Garland, of Dixmont, were united in marriage last evening at the residence of Mr. W. N. Sawyer, No. 88 Union street, in the presence of relatives and intimate friends only The ceremony was happily performed by Rev. E F. Pember, pastor of the Universalist church. As the bridal party entered the room in which the ceremony occurred the Apollo Quartette sang and also rendered a response after the prayer Mr. Albert Crowell was best man and Miss Ina Sawyer bridesmaid

At the conclusion of the ceremony, congratulations were offered and refreshments were served. Capt. Archibald is commander of the steamer Silver Star, which runs from Rockland, and the bride is an estimable young lady. Capt. and Mrs Archibald leave this morning for Bucksport and will there take the steamer Penobscot for Rockland They will reside in that city in the future

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New Advertisements

The E. C. Nichols Co will very nearly give away a large lot of garments beginning to-day. They offer about 400 cloaks, of all descriptions, that cost from $3.50 to $35 00, for $1.25 each. This is an unprecedented opportunity This sale will begin this morning at 8 o'clock. Read their advertisement.

The third week of James H Snow & Co's slaughter sale of canned goods is announced. Read the prices quoted.

Buckwheat flour and maple syrup for buckwheat cakes at Thompson & Kellogg's. See what they say this morning

New spring style hats at Lyford & Woodward's, the very latest, and best goods.

C. H. Rice's sausages are made by himself and are pronounced excellent.

See advertisement Dr. Forest's Liver Pills, made by the Forest Medicine Co., Bangor.

Special meeting of St. Andrew's Lodge this evening.

See Legislative notice.

Fast Skaters at the Rink.

Mr. Chris Toole's skating rink is now open to the public and will undoubtedly be largely patronized. It is located opposite the ferryway. Saturday evening there will be a three mile race for amateurs, the first prize to be a gold medal and the second a pair of club skates. The entries will close Saturday noon and must be made with Mr. Toole. A great attraction on Monday and Tuesday nights will be the races between McCormack and Breen, two of the fastest skaters in Canada. They will be two in a series of three races for the championship of Canada. Monday night the race will be three miles, and Tuesday five miles. A large number will doubtless attend.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Special trains were run over the Maine Central Wednesday to Mattawamkeag and Waterville.

The city churches will observe Christian Endeavor Sunday which comes next Sunday with appropriate exercises of an interesting character

This is the annual day of prayer for colleges. It will be observed by a prayer meeting at the Seminary chapel at 7 30 P M The public are cordially invited.

The Shakespeare Club will meet this evening instead of Friday, with Mrs George Webster, 68 Ohio street. The reading will be King Henry IV, part second, act iv.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular meeting in the parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association building this afternoon at three o'clock.

A special despatch from Rockland says that Gray of last year's Bangor base ball team has signed with the Toronto, Canada, team and will pitch at a largely increased salary

Yesterday was divorce day at the Supreme Judicial Court and a number of cases were heard but no decrees have been made. The court adjourned at noon to this morning

The Bangor ladies who attended the meeting of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs at Augusta yesterday returned on the evening train. The meeting was one of much success

At the Y M C A. social this evening Mr C J Marshall and the new male quartette will sing Mr E C Adams will play cornet solos and Mr Fred J Flynn will give a pantomime exhibition

The Young Men's Christian Association has arranged to give the prisoners at the jail a treat at the service to be held in the jail next Sunday morning, the Apollo Quartette having been engaged to sing at that time

The funeral of Mrs Tamson Glass was held at East Hampden yesterday afternoon and many friends were present Rev E F Pember, of this city officiated and Mr A P Chick had charge of the funeral arrangements

The Christian Endeavorers all over the State are looking forward with pleasure to the State convention at Houlton An interesting and profitable programme is being arranged. A large number will without doubt attend the meeting.

The Rhetorical Society of the Theological Seminary will hold its next meeting in Y M C A Hall on Tuesday evening of next week An excellent programme is being arranged and there will without doubt be a large attendance.

The reception to-night for the members of the Young Men's Christian Association and their ladies and the Business College students promises to be an interesting event Members of the association will be admitted on presentation of their membership tickets

Rev C. W Bradlee will give his popular lecture on "Punctual People" at Grace M E church this evening at 8 o'clock, "punctually This lecture is very highly spoken of by those who have heard it and Mr Bradlee is one of Maine's most eloquent preachers

Mr W H Cunliffe, of Fort Kent being afflicted with gangrene in one of his legs sent to Portland for a surgeon to remove the leg After the surgeon got there he decided that it would not be advisable to amputate the leg as Mr Cunliffe was in rather poor health Mr Cunliffe is a man of extensive business interests and is well known here

As Mrs Henry C. Bean was riding in West Market square yesterday, at the foot of Hammond street hill another sleigh slewed into the one occupied by her and frightened her horse which ran away through Central street. Mrs. Bean was thrown out but fortunately escaped without injury The horse was captured after running a short distance The sleigh was somewhat damaged

There will be a matched race on Chris Toole's ice track above the toll bridge this afternoon at 2.15 o'clock, between John Currier's Watchmaker, Jr., and Amasa Stevens fast pacer A purse of $25 has been put up for the winner The track is in excellent condition and everybody is invited to attend, free of charge It is expected that a Norwegian will be present and perform the remarkable feat of sliding down the steep Brewer bank on skees

The funeral services of the late Levi Bradley, Esq, were held yesterday afternoon at his late residence on Adams street and many friends were present The floral offerings were very beautiful Rev S C Beach, pastor of the Unitarian church, officiated. The bearers were Hon S. F Humphrey, Mr P A Strickland, Mr D M Howard and Mr N S Harlow Col A B Farnham had charge of the funeral arrangements.

An entertainment and supper will be given at the Universalist church vestry next Friday evening and the occasion will offer numerous attractions Supper will be served from 6 to 8 At the entertainment which will follow the last of the famous Peak Sisters will appear and give a great moral dime show Sig Gallassi, the celebrated glass eater, Kallulu, the negro dwarf from Africa, the wonderful two headed girl and other freaks will be seen

It is hard for the younger people to believe that so good a fish as the halibut was considered unfit for eating not very many years ago, yet many older Maine fishermen remember when it was first offered in the market, selling then, at 4 or 6 cents a pound It was many years since that that the swordfish first found its way to the frying pan and the table, and a fisherman recalls the time when haddock were about as highly esteemed as sculpins are now.

Freight continues to come down over the Bangor & Aroostook railroad in large quantities and is taken on over the Maine Central to its destination. Wednesday of sixteen freight cars from the Bangor & Aroostook, twelve were loaded with potatoes. A train of eighteen cars loaded with potatoes came to Oldtown over the Bangor & Aroostook Wednesday afternoon There are large quantities of potatoes stored along the B & A. awaiting transportation, and they are fast being handled.

The idea of an American-English athletic contest is still being agitated in college circles. The English students would like to form an athletic team from the winners at Oxford and Cambridge, to meet the winners in the Yale-Harvard meet. As Yale was defeated in the last year's match there is no probability of the team from England coming to this side, but as the ice has been broken by Yale and Oxford, doubtless some arrangements will be made, whereby the supremacy of the English and American college athletes may be determined each year.

Races on the Ice.

There was quite a large attendance at the races on the ice track yesterday afternoon. The 3 minute class was won by the Conners mare owned by Freemont Rice, which took two heats. Gypsy B. took one heat and the mare owned by Mr. Avery, of Brewer, took one. The best time was 1.21 for the half mile. The matched race did not occur. The judges were J. L. Chalmers, Charles Hodgkins and Benjamin Sproul, timer, and Mr. O'Brien, of Veazie, and Lester Clark were starters.

PRESENTATION OF A PORTRAIT

Of Chief Justice Peters by the Penobscot Bar

At a meeting of the Penobscot Bar at the library in the court house, yesterday with reference to the purchase and presentation of a portrait of Chief Justice Peters, A. L Simpson, Esq was chosen chairman, pro tem, and Charles J Dunn, Esq, was chosen secretary

It was decided to purchase the picture and the following committees were chosen

Committee on Speaking Charles A Bailey, P H Gillin, Peregrine White

Committee on Invitations Franklin A Wilson, Matthew Laughlin, Charles J Dunn Charles Hamlin E C Ryder F H Appleton

Committee on Reception A W Paine ex officio, Jasper Hutchings, A J Merrill, F W Eastman E J Whiting H F Mitchell A L Simpson

Committee on Supper John R Mason John F Robinson A B Cotton H F Chapman E J Martin

The presentation of the portrait will take place next Monday at 4 30 P M after which a banquet will be given

The portrait is being made by the Bangor Art and Framing Company thus ensuring an excellent likeness

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THE NICHOLS BALL

A Largely Attended Event at the Norombega

The Lemuel Nichols concert and ball at the Norombega Wednesday night was very largely attended and was well enjoyed by those present Quite a number came from cities and towns in this section of the State Besides the dancers many occupied seats in the gallery during the evening

The first of the evening was devoted to a concert by Pullen's orchestra The following excellent programme was finely rendered

Beau Ideal March	Sousa
Overture Flora	[illegible]
Advance at Retreat of the Salvation Army	[illegible]
Selection Carmen	Bizet
Indian War Dance	[illegible]
(Descriptive)	
Medley Bobbitt's Songs	[illegible]

Dancing followed the concert and the floor was covered with couples quickly moving to the inspiring music of the [illegible] musicians

There were fourteen dances on the order and they were indulged in with much pleasure Intermission occurred after the eighth dance

The drawing of prizes after the Nichols ball was stopped by the police

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AMUSEMENTS

At the Norombega

After one night's rest due to the use of the hall for the ball last evening the Lillian Tucker Company will reopen at The Norombega with "The Fire Alarm," this afternoon and evening. This play was given by them during their first week and gave much satisfaction It is full of comedy and many specialties are introduced The matinee performance this afternoon will enable many to see the piece who could not go at night and they will see exactly the same performance Friday and Saturday the bill will be [illegible]

Ullie Akerstrom

To night Ullie Akerstrom will begin a three nights and matinee engagement at the Opera House The newcomedy The Little Matchseller [illegible] play [illegible] each night and the plays will be given in the following order

Thursday evening [illegible] with features original and new an interesting story with no end of fun Friday, "A Beautiful Slave" an emotional drama, between the third and fourth acts of which Miss Akerstrom will introduce her famous dance La Chromotope, at the matinee on Saturday "The Little Matchseller" will be repeated and in the evening an amusing comedy, "Melodies Woes" will be given

Willie Collier

When the craze for farce comedy was at its height William Collier ranked at the top of the heap with his ludicrous presentation of the "Judge" in "Hoss and Hoss" His quaint humor made it evident that he would be equally successful, if not more so, in a legitimate role As "Shiftless Ike" in Edward E Kidder's new comedy "One of the Boys" which will be seen at the Opera House Monday night, Mr Collier has made one of the biggest hits of the season is reported

Ike Bennett is a village youth with a thirst for strong drink a kindly feeling for a game of chance, a settled aversion to work in any form and a craving for excitement whether in the form of fun or fight His brother Dan is the village school master whose worth is not much appreciated in this bustling age Though Ben chides Ike on his worthless ways and vicious habits, he is kept pretty busy keeping his brother from being trampled on, and winds up by courting Ben's girl and then allowing the pedagogue to marry her Both the comedy and serious parts in this latest comedy by the author of "Peaceful Valley" and "A Poor Relation" are in most excellent hands, it is said and there are no really minor roles

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Portrait of the Late Chief Justice John Appleton

The Boston *Transcript* has the following

Among several portraits lately painted by William Willard of prominent citizens of Bangor, is one of Chief Justice John Appleton, which attracts a good deal of attention not only on account of its success as a likeness, but for the feeling it carries with it of the personality of the subject It is something more than paint and canvass, it is a clear cut and definite interpretation of the man, full of dignity and character easy and natural and free from stiffness of pose From an artist point of view it is one of the best of Mr Willard's later portraits It is painted in a low tone against a dark background, which brings out in strong contrast the white hair and beard of the venerable chief justice The flesh tints are rich and pure and the head is splendidly modelled

The *Kennebec Journal* says

Mr Willard arrived in this city Monday, and is now at the Augusta House It was a sincere pleasure to us, on Mr Willard's invitation to visit his room and to look upon the portrait of the late Chief Justice Appleton While not an art critic it seems to us that what the *Transcript* says is entirely correct For many years we had an intimate acquaintance with Judge Appleton—one of the most distinguished jurists who ever graced the supreme bench of Maine

A view of Mr Willard's portrait conveys to us the impression that Judge Appleton is himself present in the flesh and about to converse in his characteristically vigorous and entertaining manner The portrait is in the highest sense a work of art and cannot fail to please the many friends of the late Chief Justice Appleton

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Maine Theological Circle

The annual meeting of the Central Maine Theological Circle, was held at the college chapel at Waterville Tuesday. The essay on the subject, "Relation of Denomination to the College, and the College to the Denomination" was delivered by President Whitman, of Colby The discussion of the practical topic was opened by Rev. Dr. Pepper, of Colby.

The election of officers resulted as follows: N. T. Dutton, Fairfield, president, Rev. J. M. Wyman, Augusta, vice-president; Rev. A. E. Kingsley, Bangor, secretary and treasurer.

Those present were: Rev. A. E Kingsley, Bangor; Rev. C. M. Emery, South Norridgewock; Rev. E. Pepper, South Norridgewock; Rev. G B. Ilsley, Bangor; Rev. C. V. Hanson, D. D., Skowhegan; Rev. N. T. Dutton, Fairfield; Rev. J. Ricker, D. D, Augusta; Rev. W. H. Clark, Charleston; Rev. W. C. Stetson, North Vassalboro; President Whitman, Rev. W. H. Spencer, D. D.; Rev. G. D. B. Pepper, D. D., Waterville; Mr. Elmer E. Longley, Smithfield; Mr. John B. Longley, Norridgewock.

A banquet at the Elmwood occurred at the close of the meeting.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH

Give a Pleasant Entertainment Dance and Supper

At Odd Fellows Hall Wednesday night the Daughters of Rebekah gave a successful entertainment, dance and supper for Odd Fellows and their families and the occasion was largely attended The entertainment came first and the following programme was excellently rendered

Harmonica and [illegible]	Mr Lane
Reading	Miss Farnham
Song	Mrs Baxter
Duet	Misses Brannan and Merrill
[illegible]	Mrs Dawes
Banjo Solo	Miss Pet
Song	Mr Russell
Banjo	Mr Harriman
Song	Mrs Baxter
Harmonica and Banjo Solo	Mr Lane
Song	Mr Russell
Song	Mr Mor[illegible]

After the entertainment dancing was in order and it was enjoyed by a large number At intermission a bounteous supper was served in the banquet hall and dancing was then resumed The evening was a very pleasant one to all present

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MID-WINTER MEETING

Of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Augusta

The mid winter meeting of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs took place at Augusta yesterday when a goodly number of representatives from a large proportion of the forty eight clubs composing the Federation were entertained by the clubs of that city

The exercises were opened by Mrs Dowst of Bangor President of the Federation after which came the reading of the reports of the secretary and treasurer followed by two minute greetings from all the clubs represented

The opening paper was by Miss Mary Snow superintendent of the schools of Bangor an I was an earnest eloquent appeal to the clubwomen of the State to interest themselves in the public schools Miss Snow was thoroughly in earnest and handled her subject with such skill and tact that her listeners could not fail to be convinced of the importance of women's influence in the direction of better schools and schoolhouses for the children growing up among us

The other speakers of the day were Mrs Lora A Brooks of the Every Monday club of Farmington who spoke well and wisely upon How to use the Public Library Mrs Cyrus of Portland who read an entertaining paper upon the Federation of Women's Clubs in the Home Miss Charlotte [illegible] of Belfast who concluded with an eloquent argument for [illegible] as a means of Moral Training

The officers for the ensuing year were all re-elected with the exception of the secretary Mrs Bertha N Stevens of the [illegible] Woman's Club who resigned Mrs Kate Clark Estabrook of Orono was elected in her stead

A committee on necrology was appointed consisting of Mrs Hersey of Skowhegan Mrs [illegible] of Portland and Miss Cora Bickford of Rockland A [illegible] Bureau was [illegible] upon and Miss Inez [illegible] of Portland was appointed to take charge of it

An invitation was preferred by the Current Events and Unity Club of Augusta to hold the October meeting in their city and the invitation was cordially accepted by the Federation whose members cannot but feel that they owe a debt of gratitude to these sister clubs who have not only hospitably entertained them on this present occasion but are ready to proffer still further hospitality to its [illegible] meeting in October

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Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

[illegible] Esq of Dexter is in the city

B F Smith Esq of Exeter is in the city

Mr H I Hale of Dexter is in the city

Mr F W Fassons of Dexter is in the city

Mr H W M[illegible] of Dexter is in the city

Mr [illegible] of Dexter is in the city

J W Crosby Esq of Dexter is in the city

Mr [illegible] of Milton is in the city

Capt [illegible] of Exeter is in the city

Mr H [illegible] Hathaway of Houlton is in the city

Rev W Davis Esq of East Corinth is in the city

Mr George W Alden of Waterville is in the city

Judge [illegible] Boswell of Skowhegan is in the city

Mr and Mrs W [illegible] Colbert of Boston are in the city

Mr S M Cole of Sangerville was in the city yesterday

H [illegible] Esq of Oldtown was in the city yesterday

Mr W W [illegible] of Guilford was in the city yesterday

Hon and Mrs D [illegible] Davis went to Augusta yesterday

Mr Edward I Hall of Portland was in the city yesterday

Mr A L Merrill of East Eddington was in the city yesterday

Hon Henry Lord left yesterday for New York on a business trip

Capt H H Shaw of Portland is in the city at the Bangor House

Mr Nelson Crane and Mr Frank I Noble of Augusta are in the city

Capt and Mrs Horace Atwood of Hampden were in the city yesterday

Mr F W Hannaford of Waterville was in the city yesterday at the Bangor House

Mrs H N Fairbanks and daughter are with Representative Fairbanks at Augusta

President F A Wilson of the Maine Central went to Augusta yesterday on business

Judge A P Wiswell, of Ellsworth was in the city yesterday on his way to Portland

Mr A W Williams, of Brownville was in the city yesterday at the Bangor Exchange

Mr B B Burlands of Montreal and Mr Joseph Burlands of Lincoln, were in the city yesterday

Miss Snow, superintendent of schools, went to Augusta yesterday to attend the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs

I S Johnson, Esq, who has been ill with pneumonia, was able to ride out yesterday for the first time since his sickness

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Arrangement of Trains.

In Effect Dec. 30, 1894.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

6.00 A.M.—For Houlton, Woodstock, Carleton, Presque Isle St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Parlor Car for Vanceboro.

6.45 A.M.—For Old Town, Greenville, Houlton and Caribou.

11.20 A.M.—For Old Town and Milford.

12.30 P.M.—(Mixed) for Old Town and Mattawamkeag.

4.10 P.M.—For Old Town, Greenville and Houlton.

7.15 P.M.—Night express train for St. Stephen, Woodstock, Aroostook County and St. John, with sleeping cars for St. John and Houlton attached daily, Sundays included, to Vanceboro and St. John.

GOING WEST

7.15 A.M.—For all points West, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft and Greenville, Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, etc., and at Portland for all points on White Mountains Division, and Lancaster, Montreal and Chicago.

12.15 P.M.—Mixed to Newport and Waterville.

1.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee, with through Parlor Car running via Augusta, for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Burnham, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

4.40 P.M.—For Newport, Dover, Foxcroft and Greenville via Dexter, and for Waterville.

8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, and Bath, Pullman sleeping cars attached.

☞ Night trains between Bangor and Boston, and between Bangor and St. John, run every night, Sundays included.

SKOWHEGAN BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Skowhegan at 7.30 A.M., and 7.00 P.M. Arrive at Skowhegan 10.05 A.M. and 5.40 P.M. Leave Skowhegan for Bangor at 5.50 A.M. and 1.30 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 8.25 A.M. and 7.00 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 7.00 and 5.15 A.M., 1.30 P.M. Leave Ellsworth at 8.20, 10.45 A.M., 5.12 P.M. All trains excepting afternoon connect for Sullivan and Mt. Desert.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.30 A.M., 2.45 P.M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.20 A.M., 12.40 and 6.15 P.M. Leave Ellsworth at 11.50 A.M., 1.40 and 7.00 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 1.00, 3.35 and 9.10 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6.00 A.M. and 7.00 P.M. From Greenville at 10.45 A.M. and 5.45 P.M. From Houlton, 1.20 and 8.15 P.M. From Caribou, 6.15 P.M. From Milford, 1.20 P.M. Mattawamkeag, 5.00 P.M. 11.05 A.M.

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland, 4.50 A.M. and 1.40 P.M. Portland, 12.15 P.M. From Foxcroft and Waterville, 9.12 and 11.50 A.M. Foxcroft, 6.50 P.M. Sundays—Paper train, 11.25 A.M. and Express from Boston and Portland, Sundays, 5.00 P.M.

NOTE. The time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot, for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and West by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

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Vice President and General Manager.
F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
Jan. 8, 1895. dtf

Bangor & Aroostook R.R.

Arrangement of Trains.

STANDARD TIME.

In Effect TUESDAY,
Jan. 1st, 1894.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.45 A.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.15 A.M., Milo 8.45 A.M., Brownville 9.01 A.M., K. I. Works 9.05 A.M., Norcross 9.15 A.M., Sherman 9.35 A.M., Island Falls 11.10 A.M., Houlton 12.40 P.M., Presque Isle 3.15 P.M., Caribou 4.40 P.M., Fort Fairfield 5.05 P.M., Dover 9.20 A.M., Guilford 9.45 A.M., Monson 10.05 A.M., Greenville 10.55 A.M.

3.10 P.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 5.41 P.M., Milo 6.10 P.M., Brownville 6.20 P.M., Norcross 6.32 P.M., Sherman 6.50 P.M., Island Falls 7.35 P.M., Houlton 8.35 P.M., Dover 7.05 P.M., Guilford 7.05 P.M., Monson Junction 7.25 P.M., Greenville 8.25 P.M.

7.15 P.M.—Mixed from Old Town, arrives Brownville 12.35 P.M., Norcross 11.50 P.M., Sherman 11.0 A.M., Island Falls 2.30 A.M., Houlton 4.00 A.M.

ARRIVALS.

10.05 A.M.—Leaving Greenville 6.15 A.M., Monson Junction 7.05 A.M., Guilford 7.22 A.M., Dover 7.45 A.M., Lagrange 8.18 A.M.

1.20 P.M.—Leaving Houlton 8.10 A.M., Island Falls 9.10 A.M., Sherman 9.28 A.M., Norcross 10.12 A.M., K. I. Works 10.15 A.M., Brownville 10.22 A.M.

5.45 P.M.—Leaving Greenville 2.35 P.M., Monson Junction 4.35 P.M., Guilford 4.47 P.M., Dover 5.10 P.M., Caribou 9.15 A.M., Presque Isle 10.30 A.M., Fort Fairfield 9.40 A.M., Houlton 7.10 P.M., Island Falls 2.35 P.M., Sherman 2.28 P.M., Norcross 2.21 P.M., Brownville 1.55 P.M., Milo 1.50 P.M., Lagrange 1.21 P.M.

F. W. CRAM, General Manager.
Bangor, Me., Dec. 28, 1894.

STEAMBOATS.

ROCKLAND and BANGOR.

In Effect December 14, 1894.

Steamer Viking

Will leave Rockland (Tillson's wharf) at 7 A.M. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Rockport and intermediate landings. Arrive in Rockport at 11 A.M., where connection is made with 1.30 P.M. train for Bangor.

Will leave Rockport at 9.10 A.M. for connection at morning train from Bangor on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Rockland and intermediate landings.

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From Boston Tuesdays at 4 P.M. and Fridays at 4 P.M.

From Rockland, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 5.00 A.M., touching at intermediate landings.

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. George B. Hook has gone to Boston on a business trip.

Miss Martha A. Skinner left yesterday for Hancock for a trip for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Crook, of Rockland, is visiting with friends at her former home in this city.

Mr. A. H. DeHaseth, of the Maine State College at Orono, was in the city last night.

Miss Mae Robinson, of Bucksport, has been visiting friends in the neighboring town of Dedham.

Mrs. C. C. Pickerlag, of Lowell, Mass., has been visiting her parents in Orrington for a few weeks.

Miss Florence Abbott, of Orono, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott, on Holyoke street.

Mr. Roderick Southerland is home from the scene of his lumbering operations up river for a short time.

Mrs. Levi D. Crook and child, of Rockland, are visiting her parents, Dea. and Mrs. Daniel Tibbetts, on Main street.

Mr. Charles Atwood of East Orrington, was given a surprise party by his children and grandchildren on the occasion of his 82d birthday, recently, and the event was greatly enjoyed by those present.

Dr. Charles A. Merrill returned home yesterday from Foxcroft, where he and his wife have been for several days on account of the death of the latter's mother and grandmother, the decease of both occurring Friday, resulting from pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill have the sympathy of all in this double loss. Mrs. Merrill will remain in Foxcroft for a short time.

A further peculiar phenomenon was observable yesterday morning, when the river and Bangor were covered with a dense, frosty mist that obscured anything more than a very limited vision, while the atmosphere in Brewer was entirely clear of the foggy appearance. The line of the edge of the veil of mist on the Brewer side of the river was clearly marked.

At the session which is now being held by the board of registration, the voting lists are to be carefully revised, in preparation for the coming municipal election in March, and then the lists to be hung in the various polling places and for other uses will be prepared. When the present session is closed, the board will adjourn until the session of a few days immediately previous to election.

The "Calender Carnival."

The much anticipated "Calendar Carnival" opens in City Hall this evening, and all indications point to a distinct success for the opening night. It is to be given by the First M. E. Epworth League and those in charge have spared no effort to make it an elaborate and most enjoyable event. The hall has been handsomely prepared for the occasion and the booths, etc., will be greatly admired. This evening a very fine musical and literary entertainment will be given at 8 o'clock and none should miss it. Among the participants will be the Apollo Quartette, Mrs. Nettie Gratien Maling, Miss Emilie Merrill, Miss Gertrude Bennett, Miss Grace M. Bramhall, and Mr. Chase, of Bucksport, and the programme will be of the greatest interest. A delicious supper is to be served from 6 to 8 o'clock. There will undoubtedly be a very large audience.

This evening's programme is as follows:

PART I.

Piano solo, "Violette de Caraffa"....Henry Herz
Miss Grace Bramhall.

Song, "Wing Tide Wee" .....
Apollo Quartette.

Recitation, (by request) "The One-legged Goose"
Mr. Chase.

Duet, "Calm as Night" .....
Miss Merrill and Mr. Palmer.

Solo, "My Heart and Thine" .... Gerald Lane
Mrs. Nettie Gratien Maling.

PART II.

Piano duet .....Selected
Miss Ross and Miss Sparks.

Song, "Come, Love, Come" .....
Apollo Quartette.

Recitation.....
Mr. Chase.

Duet, "Dews of the Summer Night" .....
Mrs. Maling and Mr. Gordon.

Solo, "Queen of the Night" ..Jane Solomon Tory.
Miss Emilie Merrill.

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Recently, I heard one of these pupils of the Portland Deaf School, who has never heard a sound, recite in a well-modulated voice, Longfellow's Psalm of Life:

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CHAPTER VII.

To please the children, and somewhat celebrate the day Hugh Ellery had planned a bonfire for the night of the Fourth of July, and Nelsine, frugally minded to get the utmost possible out of the entertainment, had seized upon the occasion to invite a few of her neighbors to dine at an hour, which, to the majority, would have seemed more befitting thoughts of bed. But Mrs. Ellery, with characteristic unconsciousness of any possibility of adverse criticism on the part of those she thought to honor, had planned her hospitality with canny thought for the falling of darkness, that the bonfire might promptly come after dessert, having all due regard to this powerful ally to relieve the burdens of a hostess in a company whose coin of sociability was too generally the doubtful gold of clamlike silence.

And now they were all gathered on the steep hillside up near the barns, overlooking the deep worn coulee, almost filled to its brim with heaped brush and debris, from which a mighty tower of flame rose high against the blackness of the night. But although the dinner had been irreproachable throughout its many courses, with nothing to mar its success, barring a certain despairing uncertainty observable now and then on the part of the guests in respect to the multiplicity of forks and spoons allotted them, and although the bonfire was all and more than its architect had planned, both host and hostess were heavily oppressed with a growing consciousness that the occasion was something of a failure, after all.

For, in the first place, anxious to discharge all her social obligations at once, Nelsine had overlooked a long standing coolness between the Loverings of the Lovering-Baker ranch and the Campbells of the 333 outfit, and the bringing of those irate ladies together must in itself have cast a certain gloom over the function. Mrs. Lovering was supported by her son, a stout, sunburned young fellow, whose round, vacuous face suggested nothing beyond a lifelong association with good beef, and a daughter, a sallow, giggling girl of 16, while behind the trio sat a widowed sister, erect in a stony silence, grim and unbending as a monument erected to the memory of her loved and lost.

Mrs. Campbell sat alone, her husband, as it seemed from force of habit, keeping as far from her as circumstances allowed, but she appeared altogether equal to the emergency. When Mrs. Ellery addressed this lady of the 333 ranch, the Loverings, who at other times never appeared moved by anything to say, always drew together with animated remark, as though repudiating any smallest suggestion that they could be supposed to take part in that particular conversation, while when their hostess turned her attention upon them Mrs. Campbell always pointedly addressed Edith Ellery, who, in truth, found something of wicked enjoyment in the situation. Between those two fires, as it were, Mr. and Mrs. Dennison of the I X Bar ranch hovered uncertainly, while Hugh, with the good humored blindness peculiar to his sex, moved about in herculean effort to infuse a spirit of general sociability into the company.

Another element of disturbance had been introduced by Mr. Campbell, who, naturally of a cautious temperament, was full of wild anxiety lest the flying spark should fire the range, or, with a change in the wind, should endanger the barns, until Ellery, who had, in fact, builded rather better than he knew, was wholly disquieted and unhappy. A fire in earnest tonight was not a cheerful possibility to contemplate, when of all the men belonging on the place not one was at hand save Paul Brown, all the others having begged the day off to assist at a picnic and dance a dozen miles away.

Edith, who said she was sure that in some previous state of existence she had been a Parsee, was finding an exquisite enjoyment in the wild revelry of flame. Her breath came quicker; her nerves tingled with excitement as her eyes followed the writhing red arms which, with almost diabolical prescience, were ever reaching out higher and higher in wider and yet wider range, unerringly snatching at the furthermost twigs with derisive cries and hisses of mad triumph, gnawing, tearing and beating down the mighty mass, scattering a sparkling shower of burnt out husks into the glowing abyss, each falling branch for the instant a glory of flame, as though the subtle touch of life passed in guise of new beauty from its erstwhile hold on earth.

"We might imagine ourselves shipwrecked sailors," she remarked to Mrs. Campbell, who was beside her, gingerly holding up the ends of the garment she called "a polonay" from contact with possible dew, "the rest of the world seems so far away."

"Twould be kinder sociable to see something besides the light of the moon an' stars by night now, wouldn't it? Not that there's much moon tonight. Goodness knows, I hope it's goin to get up in time to light us home," the good woman returned, anxiously inspecting the blackness of the sky, as, wholly oblivious to Hugh's feelings as the author of the entertainment, she sat with her back squarely turned to the blaze. "It's more'n 20 years since I lived where I could see a neighbor's light by night. Seems kinder lonesome sometimes, for a fact, especially in time of sickness. But I don't feel to complain," she added, snapping a meaning glance at the Lovering party. "I and knows, I'd want to weed out my neighbors some before I went to gettin 'em any nearer."

"Oh, did you say your boys had gone to the picnic?" Edith irrelevantly demanded, half laughing as she caught sight of Nelsine's despairing face.

"Yes. They just matchedly had to go," she said, with a sniff expressive of unbounded contempt for such frivolities. "Boys will be boys, an they never outgrow all the mim foolishness that's born in 'em. All your men gone too, I s'pose 'cepting that horse trainer. How'd it happen Artalissa didn't want to go? I understand Jim Kittory arst her."

"I am sure I don't know," Edith replied, with disappointing brevity, her glance straying back to where the girl was standing, somewhat apart from the others. Paul Brown was now beside her, and his laugh rang out at some remark which only his ear had heard.

"What a flirt that Artalissa is!" put in Mrs. Dennison, hitching her chair nearer and settling herself for the simple dish of gossip her soul loved. "I hear she's all for that horse trainer now."

"An Jim Kittory is all for that horse trainer, too," laughed Mrs. Campbell, quite delighted with her own wit. "An that horse trainer'd better watch out for hisself if Jim comes home from the dance drunk tonight, as he most likely will. He only needs to get a little bit ugller, an there'll be some shootin done on this range—now you see. The boys was hectorin of him this mornin—I was inside peekin out through the curtain while they was waitin for my boys to saddle up—an they was all slingin talk at Jim, gassin him because this feller had cut him out. 'Well,' says he, lookin for all the world like a bulldog, 'jest you wait an see who comes out ahead.' If the boys would jest leave him alone, but they ain't hatchelly got any more sense. What can you expect? An Artalissa, she don't help matters none, I'll warrant. There's jest enough cussedness in that girl to find victuals an drink in mighty trouble."

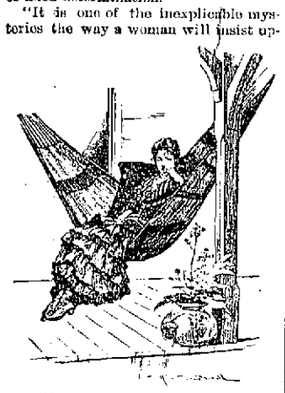
Mrs. Dennison nodded comprehensively. "I know. Jim was in an awful tantrum the night of the dance. He got madded somehow, and over he went to the barn, swearin like he was crazy. Brown come along and stood astunned—he was just runnin down Brown for a fool bronche buster that set himself up for a masher, and they said Brown just up and laughed in his face, walkin round in front of him cool as a cucumber. Everybody jumped, thinkin Kittery was goin to shoot sure, but Brown kept just lookin at him like he looks an ugly horse in the eye, they said, and next thing Kittery just kind of quieted down and sneaked off like a lamb. But my husband said looked to him like Kittery was just layin low for another chance when there wa'n't so many around to see fair play."

"Yes, he's layin low, an the horse trainer'd better keep one eye over his shoulder while he's moseyin round, for Kittery's jest the sort that likes to shoot from behind," remarked the older woman ominously, finding no little entertainment in the gruesome prophecy.

The bonfire burned low at last, and shortly after 9 o'clock the guests were taking their departure, the Lovering party volubly lamenting that they had not gone sooner, which, however natural, in view of the very indefinite character of their road, was still not calculated to cheer their weary hosts.

"Thank heaven, it is over at last!" cried Nelsine fervently, examining her wet shoes by the light of the parlor lamp. "And when I have them here again"— she added in a tone eloquent of fixed determination.

"It is one of the inexplicable mysteries the way a woman will insist upon eating crow and then fall to kicking about it afterward," her husband parenthetically observed, addressing the ceiling.



She slipped into the hammock.

"Now, Hugh, you know perfectly well that we had to have them," remonstrated Nelsine. "They had all invited us until I simply was ashamed to look them in the face."

"And now they will begin inviting us all over again to spend the afternoon and stay to tea," groaned Hugh miserably. "But I tell you plainly, Nelsine, that when the evil days come I shall have other engagements. I positively will not be killed with kindness, whatever you may say."

"When I take up my desert claim, I think I will look up a more deserted section than this," observed Edith, smiling wearily. "I forgive you this time, Nelsine, but I hope that your social obligations are now all disposed of."

"Oh, Edith, how can you! When you helped me out so beautifully too! It ought to be such a satisfaction to you."

"It is. I cannot remember a time when I have felt more perfectly virtuous and happy," Edith declared, with a sardonic little laugh. "I deserve to sleep the sleep of the just, I am sure, and so good night."

But she was not sleepy, she found, when she was alone. Restlessly pacing her room back and forth, she opened the door leading out upon the piazza. The moon, large and red as the flame from the heart of the bonfire, was rising behind the trees, the delicately clothed branches showing in a black network against the glowing disk exquisite as old lace. A shawl of Nelsine's was lying across a chair. Wrapping it about her shoulders, she slipped into the hammock which faced the eastern sky, luxuriously adjusting the pillows to her head.

There was a lively play of light like the spangles on the gown of a dancing girl glancing among the polished stems of the vine leaves, while the dainty net work of shadow spread over the floor deepened and grew clearer with the advancing light, like a photographic film in the developing bath. Above the soft whispers among the trees came the soothing murmur of the creek, with its subtle mockery of every voice she had heard, every musical sound known to earth, while the heavy, languorous scent of growing things, voicelessly inviting the caresses of the night moths, fell upon the senses like an anodyne. Edith lay in a sort of lethargic content, missing nothing of sight or sound, yet scarcely thinking of anything. She idly wondered if perhaps death might not be like this—to lie at ease forever, forgetting all cares of earth, always soothed and made dreamily glad by the soft lullaby of the winds and the infinite harmonies of nature.

[To be continued.]

No Card Playing In Boston Hotels.

The police commissioners have notified the proprietors of the hotels that they must refrain from providing their guests with facilities for card playing in the way of cards, chips or rooms to be used for this purpose, as it is said they have been in the habit of doing. Hereafter if gentlemen indulge in the pastime of gaming at the hotels they must furnish their own implements and carefully guard the nature of their occupation from the knowledge of the landlord.—Boston Transcript.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 30.

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New, ₩ bu	40@45
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SUGAR	
Granulated, ₩ ℔	5c
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PORK—	
Country clear, ₩ ℔	11c
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English, scaled, in boxes, ₩ box	20c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ₩ ℔	17@22c
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English, ₩ ℔	10@15c
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VINEGAR—	
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Full weight	62c
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Fine, ₩ hundred	1.10
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GLUTEN MEAL	1.15
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WHEAT	75c

TELEPATHY TALES.

DAVID CHRISTIE MURRAY ON MIND ACTING UPON MIND.

The Novelist Believes That the Existence of Telepathy Has Been Scientifically Established—His Curious Personal Experiences.

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One day recently Mr. Murray talked to a Boston Herald man on the special subject of telepathy, and after showing from his own personal experiences how mind may act upon mind at a distance, independently of the ordinary means of intercommunication, he went on to say:

"Here is a case in point. My eldest brother, who died in 1865, was at sea as midshipman on board a merchant vessel. He sailed under a drunken captain, who behaved to him with horrible cruelty. He got the seeds of consumption on that voyage. While he was at sea my mother was nursing her uncle, James Withers Marsh, and in the very hour of his death the old man, who had been tenderly attached to my brother, sat up and said aloud: 'Let the lad alone. Have you no bowels?' My mother asked him what he was thinking of, and he cried, 'That captain is ill treating poor Jack horribly.'

"The first officer, a Mr. Mundy, took command of the ship when Captain Gregory died in delirium tremens and was buried at the Azores. Mundy brought my brother home, and he was told the story of the old man's dying words. He produced his own notebook and showed that on the day of the old man's death he had made an entry, because he intended to indict the captain for his cruelty on their return to a British port. What is most singular is that when he came to work out the difference of latitude he found the entry in his private log and the time of the old man's words coincided to a minute. There are thousands of such instances reported, and it seems to me quite idle to dismiss them as mere coincidences. Coincidence has a very long arm indeed, especially in drama and fiction. But I think it hardly reaches so far as that.

"Not very long ago," Mr. Murray resumed, "I had a very curious personal experience. Two people had been dining with me—one a very dear and intimate personal friend, the other a comparative stranger. When they had left me, I distinctly heard a personal conversation within my own mind. I do not pretend that the words would have been audible to anybody else. That would be nonsense. But I heard it within my mind and recognized the voices of the two men. They discussed my own character and the action I had taken about a certain matter at that time. The comparative stranger was critical and unfriendly, and my old friend tonight was cause with great warmth. I questioned him afterward, and he assured me that such a conversation had taken place as he and his convive had driven in the carriage to the club from my house."

The novelist was here asked what he had met with any cases of the action of a dead on a living man. He replied, speaking in an impressive and reverent tone of voice: "I am profoundly convinced, though I do not want to be regarded as a madman, that after his death my father assisted me in my literary work. For a year or two I was profoundly conscious of it, and I wrote as if I was absolutely under his eye, and with an assurance of his sympathy and aid. That, however conveyed, was also late.

"I had an allusion to this kind of influence," Mr. Murray continued, "in my book, 'Rainbow Gold.' There is a dialogue there with a great strongman who has committed some dreadful crime and is repenting of it, and the question between the talkers is as to whether there is any knowledge of us on the part of the dead. And old Armstrong, a practical minded Scotchman, remarks that he cannot conceive of the sons of Burns and Shakespeare as spending their time in knocking devil knocks at the tables of mediums like a pair of demented postmen. 'But,' says he, 'you can fancy the spirit of a mother saying to the master scraph, "I have been behaving pretty well of late, and I would like to go back to Castle Barfield and have a look at the lad I left behind me," and the master seraph says, "Go to the poor creature, go!" And you feel her near you, and you say in the blindness of your mind, "Nerves." And you try to chase your poor old mother's soul away from you with a concoction of Peruvian bark.'"

Algy's Ambition.

Algy—Aw, can you spare me a few hundred to win ovah to Lennon?

Father—What's the object?

"Golf."

"Good! If you learn how to play golf, it may"